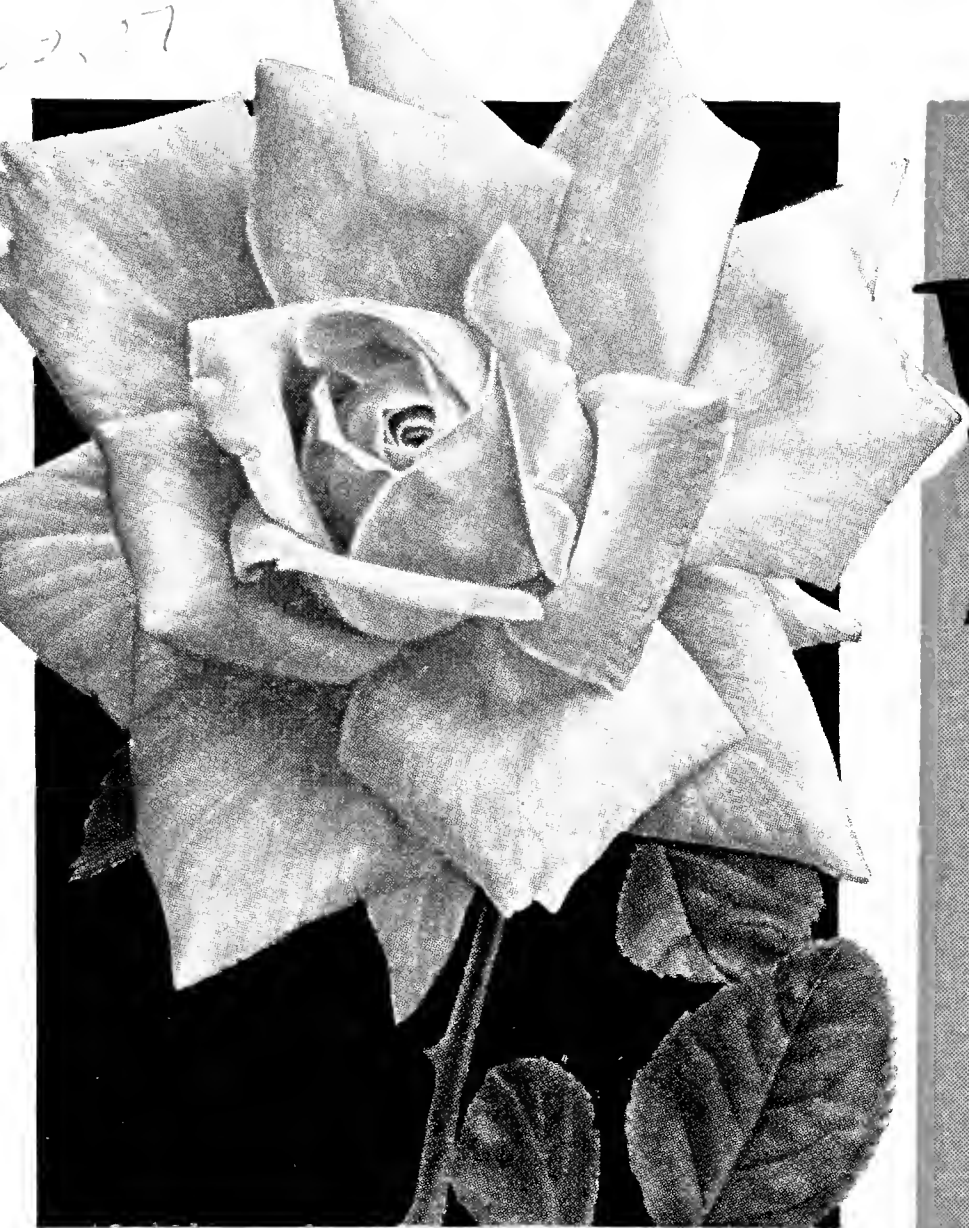


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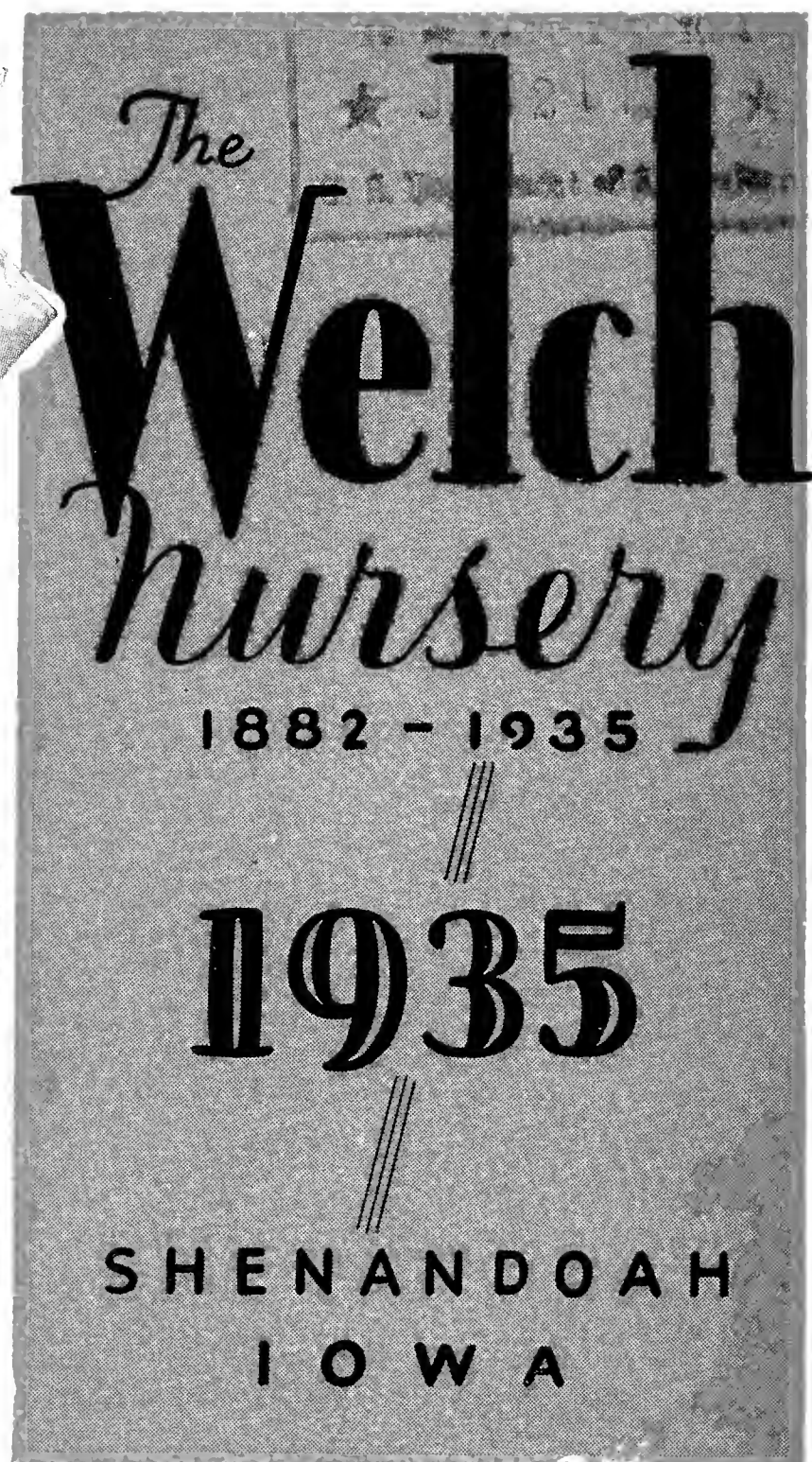
Dame Edith Helen



Lady Margaret Stewart

Dame Edith Helen. Pink.  
 Lady Margaret Stewart. Yellow.  
 General MacArthur. Red.

These three beautiful  
 roses for **\$1.00** prepaid



General MacArthur

# Truths Well Told

Dear Folks:

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At the darkest moment during our Revolutionary War—a time of sorrow and depression—Tom Paine, a faithful patriot, in an effort to encourage the disheartened colonial soldiers, wrote: "These are the times that try men's souls!" He pleaded for them to stick to their cause, they rallied at his plea, and the rest is history. But this year, the drought was not history. We, too, are experiencing a time that is trying to men's souls, but it will be wise for us to take a lesson from the far-sightedness and loyalty of old Tom Paine.

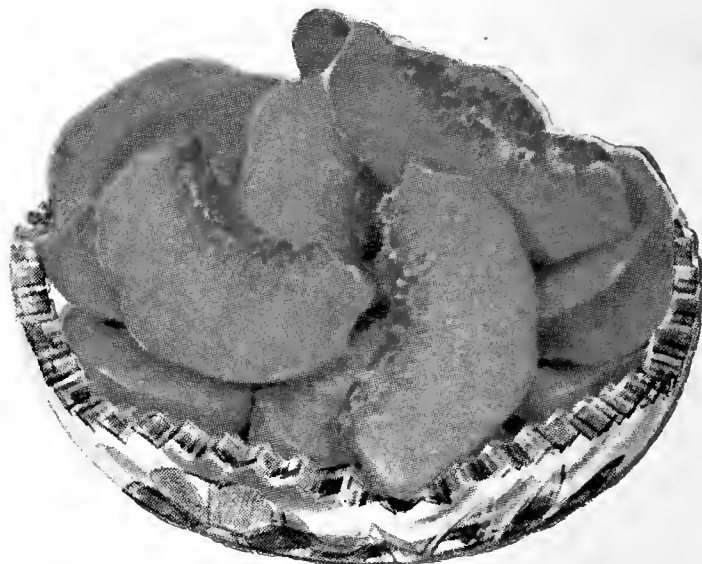
You all know that fruit brings good money on the market because you have been buying it. Now, wouldn't this be a good time to start raising your own? Yes, plant good fruit trees NOW! This is one sure way of making yourself independent of the other fellow.

Just think what man has done to develop the different fruits which the Creator designed! There's the "Delicious Apple," a growing monument to man's co-operation with the Creator. Its branches are spreading all over the world, where people like apples. It bends its boughs as a benediction of blessing over all who seek a taste of its lovely fruit. The same is true of the "Waneta Plum" in which "every bite is a delight"; it often produces a good crop in two years after planting. This year has proven that many old fashioned varieties are successful. Hansen plum trees have survived and borne enormous crops in spite of heat and drought. The old fashioned flowers, such as Hollyhocks, Iris and Yuccas have grown and bloomed right through the dry weather. Such sturdy trees as Russian Olive and Chinese Elm were not affected by the lack of moisture. We are not offering Sweet Cherries this year, as they have proven that the heat was too great for them.

Now let us offer a few suggestions. First, get your order in early. Do it just as soon as you get this catalog, so that the stock may be reserved for you and shipped later when you are ready for it.



Hollyhocks, 25 assorted colors, \$1.00 prepaid.



4 Elberta Peaches, 4 ft. \$1.00, prepaid.

Secondly, we suggest that you plan on early planting. Stock set out early will get a good start before the hot dry weather strikes it and will make better fruiting rows than those set out later. Nature's time for getting things started is spring and our advice is that you co-operate with Nature. Then we want to leave one very important word about selection. Too many people make too wide a selection in their order. They do not get enough of any one variety to make a showing. Our idea is to specialize in one or two varieties so that you will have a marketable product. An orchard of few varieties will be worth more to you from the standpoint of harvesting and selling than ten varieties which complicate your plans for gathering and selling. Our motto is "SPECIALIZE AND REALIZE."

You will be playing safe by making your selections from this catalog—it is our only salesman—and we assure you that it is reliable. No matter what you want, whether fruit trees and small fruits to plant for profit, or shrubs and flowers to beautify your home, your money will buy more high grade nursery stock at the Welch Nursery than anywhere else. Your order will be appreciated and the best that we can produce will be sent to you. After fifty years of growing and packing fruit trees and shrubs for customers in every state in the union, experience has

taught us the most profitable varieties to grow and we have learned which varieties will grow successfully in your locality. We have learned the secret of packing trees and plants so that they will reach you in good condition. We have condensed the list of varieties in this catalog and listed only those that we know are dependable and hardy. Nursery stock is limited this season, but with our irrigation system, we have a fair supply.

Come to see us when you can. A trip to Shenandoah any time from May to October will more than repay you for your time, because you will see thousands of acres of fruits and flowers growing. We are located in North Shenandoah, one block northwest of the Wabash depot, and our phone number is 112.

**J. C. WELCH & SON**  
Shenandoah, Iowa

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# Apple Trees

It is an established fact that of all the fruits the Apple is the most important. It has been rightly called the "King of Fruits." Unlike other fruits its period of ripening extends nearly throughout the year, and by judicious selection of varieties, an almost constant succession may be obtained. It is not a luxury, but a staple article of food, and the demand for good apples is increasing faster than the supply. Experienced and successful farmers and orchardists agree that there is more money growing apples than in any other fruit, and that the orchard is the farm's greatest asset. If there is any kind of trees that we specialize in growing, it is the apple.

We use the very best quality of imported French Apple Seedlings on which to propagate our apples. We believe this to be of utmost importance in order that the trees may have a good foundation, be free from all disease and insure a healthy and permanent growth. We have discarded all varieties not profitable to the planter, and recommend the following varieties, giving a brief description of each.

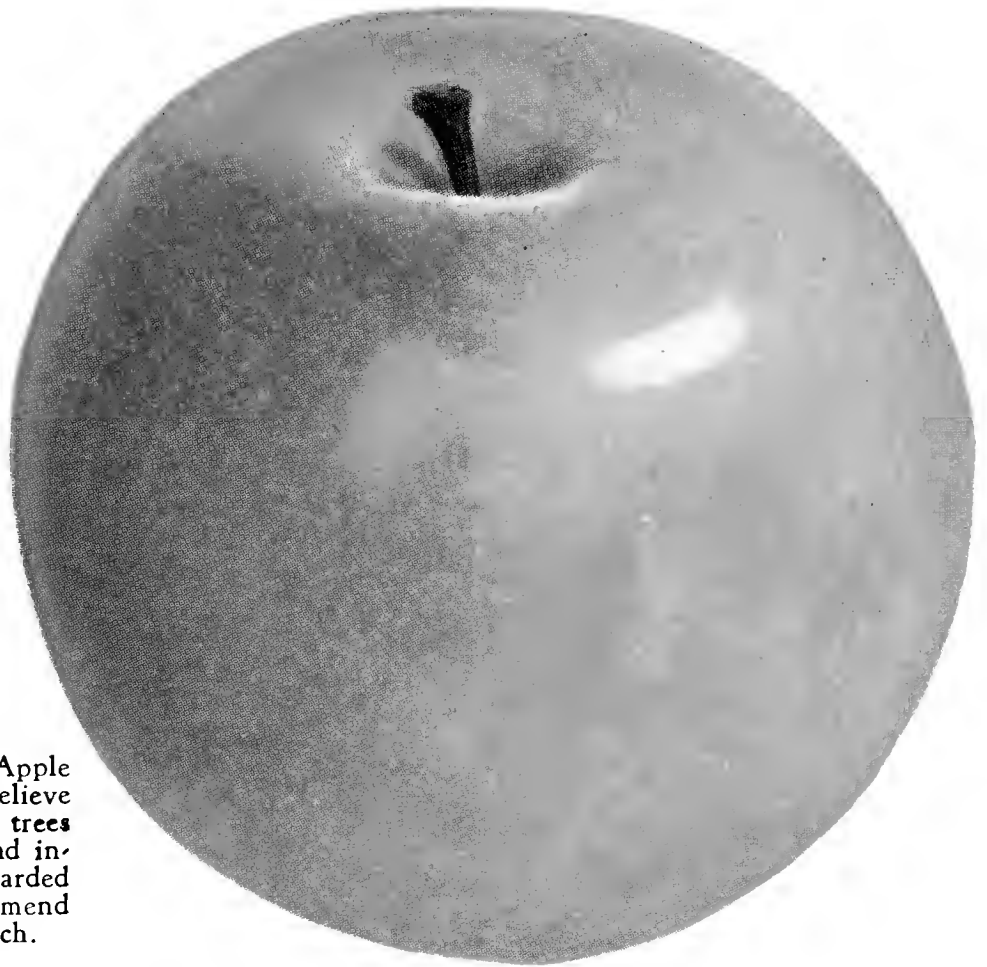
5 to 6 ft., 45c each; \$4.00 per 10, 4 to 5 ft., 40c each; \$3.50 per 10, by express collect.

3 to 4 ft., 30c each, \$25.00 per 100, prepaid.

## SUMMER VARIETIES

**DUCHESS.** July. Handsome, large fruit, greenish yellow, almost wholly covered with stripes and splashes of bright crimson. Flesh is white, slightly acid, tender, juicy and pleasant.

**EARLY HARVEST.** Season, July. A medium to large pale yellow apple of very fine flavor. Tree a moderately erect grower and a good bearer. A splendid Apple.



Yellow Transparent.

**RED JUNE.** A little later than Early Harvest. Medium size, yellow and red stripes, very good quality, good bearer. The best early Apple. July to August.

**YELLOW TRANSPARENT.** Season, August. Another splendid early eating Apple. Hardy, does well in far north as well as all over the country. Good size, almost a clear white in color, turning to the palest yellow. Flavor sub-acid and very pleasant.

## FALL VARIETIES

**ANOKA.** Ripens in September. The size, color and flavor of the Anoka make it a favorite. Also a good keeper. The remarkable feature of this excellent Apple is that it comes into bearing very young, is also dwarf in stature, so that it is well adapted to back yard planting or closer in the orchard.

**FAMEUSE (Snow).** September; fine dessert Apple; deep crimson skin, snowy white flesh.

**MAIDEN BLUSH.** Good size, fine flavor, beautifully blushed, good bearer, a fine Apple for home and market. September.

**WEALTHY.** Season, October to January. Fruit above medium to large, smooth, light yellow, almost wholly covered with bright red splashes and stripes. Flesh white, often stained with red, tender, very juicy, slightly sub-acid.

## WINTER VARIETIES

**BALDWIN.** This good old standby is one of the leading commercial apples in the cool climate of the North. It is a very large, bright red Apple of excellent flavor and a very good keeper in cellar or cold storage.

**BEN DAVIS.** Season, November. Fruit is medium to large, of bright deep red color. The flesh is whitish, firm, juicy and sub-acid. It is one of the best keeping Apples on the market today.

**DOUBLE RED DELICIOUS.** Season, December to April. Tree bears young and annually, seldom blights. The fruit is large, distinctive in shape, conical, beautiful in color, brilliant dark red, blending to yellow at blossom end. Flavor is sweet, slightly acid, with a delightful fragrant aroma. Tree reported perfectly hardy in Iowa, Wisconsin, South Dakota.

**GANO.** Season, November. The tree is vigorous and hardy; is a rapid grower. Color, bright red without stripes or blotches, and large and even in size.



Double Red Delicious.

## WINTER VARIETIES—Continued.

**GRIMES GOLDEN.** Vigorous grower; large; golden yellow; juicy, good. Keeps until April. One of the very best.

**HARALSON.** An early bearing variety; tree of medium size, vigorous, upright, hardy. Fruit medium to large in size, roundish, slightly flattened, well colored with solid red over the entire surface. Flesh fine grained, tender, juicy; excellent quality. Keeps in common storage until early spring.

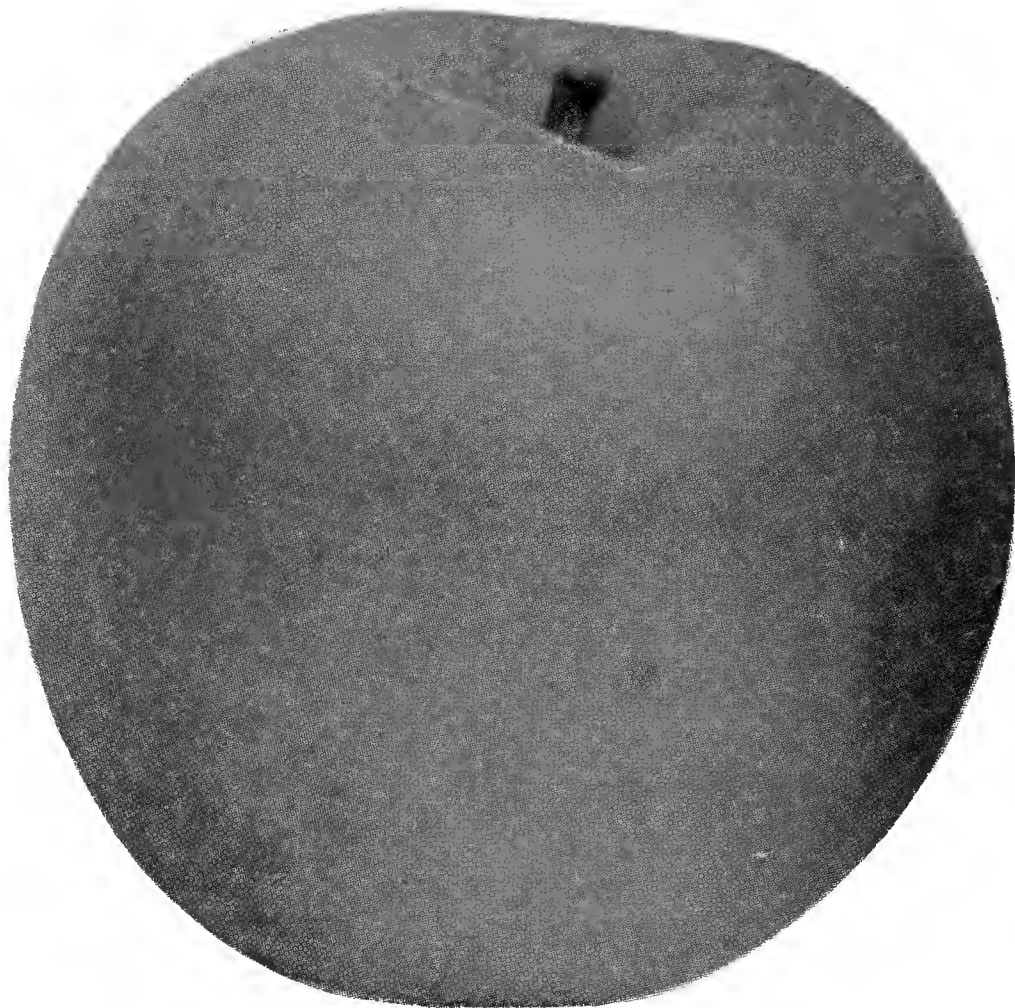
**IMPROVED JENITON.** This is the Apple which our grandfathers used to grow, except we have the improved variety, which is much larger than the small Jeniton. Will keep until the first of May. Especially fine for cider and eating.

**JONATHAN.** Season, October. One of the very best varieties. Brilliant red, of medium size, flesh white, fine flavored. We cannot recommend this variety too highly.

**McINTOSH, RED.** Large, red all over; flesh white, tender, sub-acid. Tree very hardy, abundant bearer.

**MAMMOTH BLACK TWIG.** The tree is a strong grower, a regular and abundant bearer. A good winter apple. Deep red; sub-acid, very high flavored. Keeps until late spring.

**NORTHWESTERN GREENING.** Tree a splendid, vigorous grower, quite hardy. Fruit large to very large; green, becoming yellowish green when ripe; flesh yellow, fine grained and firm; flavored a good sub-acid; very smooth and attractive; should be given plenty of room in the orchard to secure large, even fruit. Keeps until March.

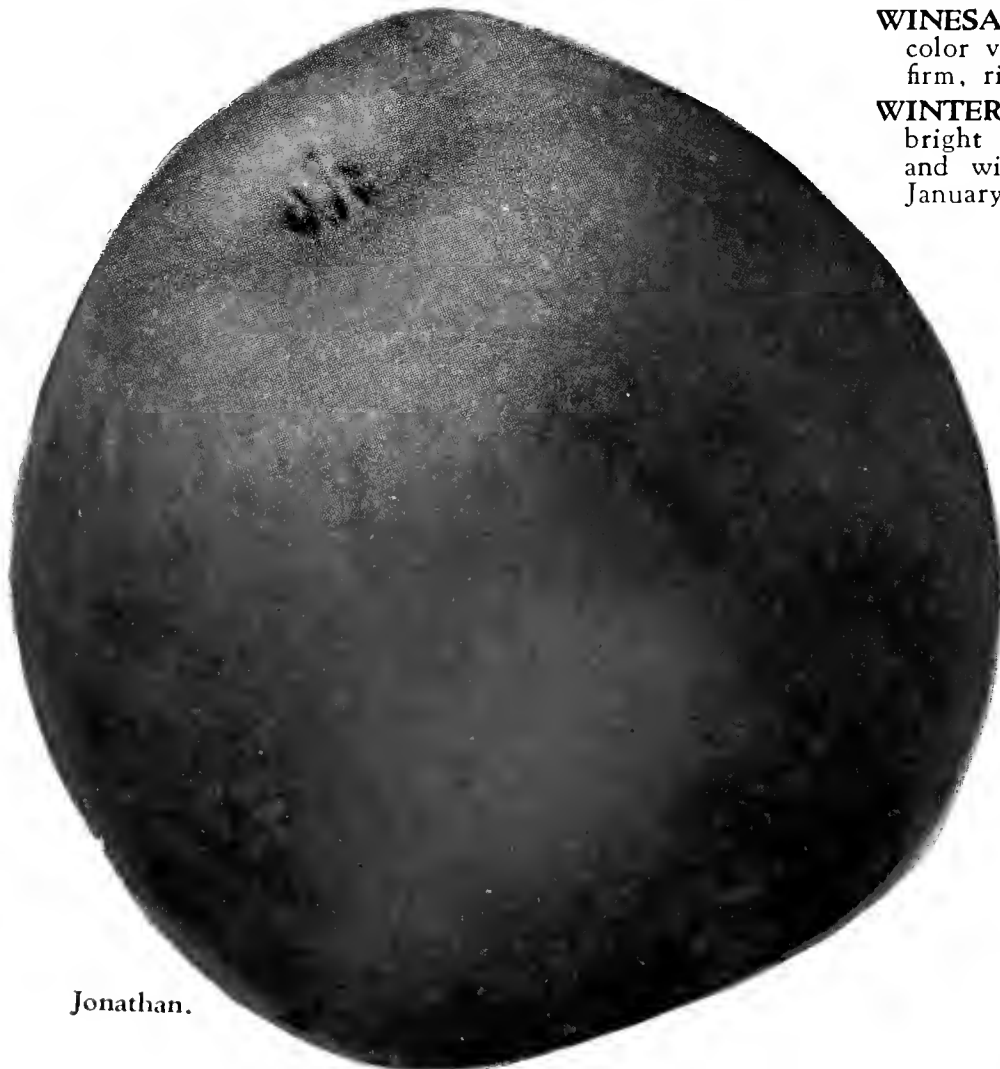


Grimes Golden.

**SPECIAL APPLE COLLECTION**  
20 Two-year Apple Trees, 3- to 4-ft.

2 Snow	5 Yellow Delicious
5 Grimes' Golden	3 Wealthy
5 Jonathan	

**\$3.50** Pre-paid



Jonathan.

**RAMSDELL SWEET.** Like the Rambo, this is one of the older varieties, and the best of all sweet Apples. The fruit ranges from medium to large; dark red, covered with a blue bloom. Flesh yellow, firm, fine grained, juicy, sweet, good.

**ROME BEAUTY.** Season, November. Large, roundish, oblong, handsomely colored, striped with red. Keeps until May.

**STAYMAN'S WINESAP.** Season, November. Fruit large. Yellowish striped, splashed with dull red. Firm, crisp, yellow flesh. Mild, sub-acid in flavor. Good quality.

**WINESAP.** Fruit medium large; skin thick, very tough, color very attractive dark red. Flesh yellow, fine grained, firm, rich, crisp, slightly sub-acid. Quality excellent.

**WINTER BANANA.** Large golden yellow apple with bright crimson-red. Flesh is lemon-yellow, fine grained and with a rich aromatic flavor. Season November to January.

**YELLOW DELICIOUS.** A remarkably large early winter apple of wonderful flavor. It is a large glossy yellow apple, supreme as an eating apple and excellent for cooking. It bears young, very often in four years. Our stock of these apples is limited.

**YORK IMPERIAL.** Fine, hardy, large, red, winter Apple. Comes into bearing four years after planting, bears regularly and heavily. Foliage and tree free from scab. Fruit is medium size, skin yellow, almost wholly covered with two shades of red. Good shipper, bringing highest prices.

**CRAB, WHITNEY.** Season, August. Smooth, glossy skin, green striped, splashed with carmine. Flesh firm, juicy and rich.

**SPECIAL APPLE COLLECTION**

10 First Class Trees, 5-6 ft.

Two summer and eight winter varieties which should bear enough apples for a whole family—all for \$4.00—Shipped express collect.

2 Wealthy	2 Jonathan
2 Delicious	2 Grimes' Golden
2 Stayman's Winesap	





Bartlett.

**SECKEL (Sugar Pear).** August to September. Small, rich, yellowish brown with bright red cheeks; juicy, buttery and melting.

**SHELDON.** An excellent fruit, being very sweet, juicy and of the most pleasing flavor. The fruit is quite roundish, russeted and sometimes blushed with red. A good variety for the home orchard.

## Apricots

5 to 6 ft., 50c each, express collect. 3 to 4 ft., (prepaid), 35c each.

**ALEXANDER.** Good size, oblong, yellow with red, sweet and delicate. Tree very hardy. Ripens middle of July.

**MOORPARK.** Very large, yellowish green with red on sunny side. Flesh bright orange and freestone. Ripens in August.

**SUPERB.** The best flavored, most productive Apricot yet produced. Medium size, light salmon color, excellent quality. Ripens last of July.

## Pears

5 to 6 ft., 50c each, express collect. 3 to 4 ft., (prepaid), 35c each.

**ANJOU.** The standard market Pear for late fall and early winter. Fruit large, skin yellow dotted with russet, has faint blush. Flesh is yellowish white, firm but tender. Very juicy, sweet and spicy with a vinous flavor. One of the very best. Season, October to December.

**BARTLETT.** August. One of the most popular Pears. Fruit is large, buttery, and melting, with a rich musky flavor, white flesh. Probably the best early Pear.

**BOSC.** Finest quality; extra large, long and tapering; russet; good shipper, brings highest market price. A vigorous grower. October to November.

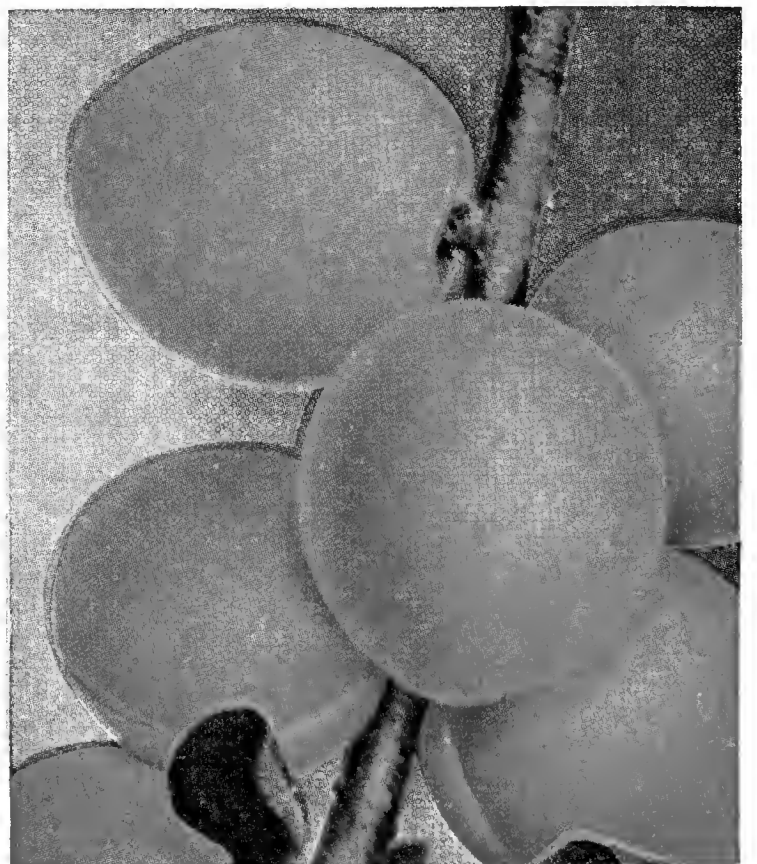
**CLAPP FAVORITE.** August. Tree a vigorous, upright, spreading grower, very hardy and productive. Fruit large, pale yellow flesh, fine grained, juicy, melting and sweet.

**DUCHESS.** October. Very large, fine quality and juicy, and keeps well into winter.

**FLEMISH BEAUTY.** When well grown, the fruit of this Pear is as handsome as any Pear, and is almost unapproachable in quality. The trees are heavily productive, and because of their great hardiness, they bear even in climates where winters are severe.

**GARBER.** September. Larger than Kieffer. Productive, early bearer. Excellent for canning. Yellow, with pink cheek.

**KIEFFER.** October. Profitable market variety. Very large, fine appearance. Good for canning. Skin yellow, with red cheek. Flesh brittle; very juicy.



Superb Apricots

# Cherries

There are few more desirable fruit trees than the Cherry. Notably hardy, quite adaptable to different soils and climates. Can be planted along the street, on the lawn, along fences, avenues, in corners and in many places where other fruits would not be profitable.

5 to 6 ft., 45c each; \$40.00 per 100, express collect. 3 to 4 ft. (prepaid), 30c each.

## EARLY RICHMOND (English Pie Cherry).

A well-known and old standard variety. Tree is hardy, healthy, a free grower, very productive and regular in bearing. Fruit clear, bright red, of medium size, acid, rich, and one of the best for canning and for pies. The most popular of the true Kentish Cherries. Ripens in June.

**ENGLISH MORELLO.** Fruit large, almost blackish red when fully ripe; very rich. Tree small. July.

**MONTMORENCY.** A beautiful, large red cherry, larger and finer than Early Richmond and 10 days later. Being extraordinarily prolific and very hardy it can be highly recommended.

**COMPASS CHERRY-PLUM.** It is larger than the Richmond Cherry, and is about the same bright red color. In quality it is good, with a different flavor from any Cherry or Plum. It is fine for canning and preserving. July.



Montmorency.



Early Richmond.

## SPECIAL CHERRY BARGAIN

2 Early Richmond  
2 Montmorency  
3- to 4-ft. Trees

\$1.00  
Prepaid

## Distance Apart to Plant—Number Required

Age of Bearing				Age of Bearing			
		Distance Apart	Number per Acre			Distance Apart	Number per Acre
Apples Std.	3 to 6 years	35x35 ft.	35	Horseradish	1 year	3x1 ft.	14520
Apricots	3 years	15x15 ft.	193	Peaches	2 years	15x15 ft.	193
Asparagus—				Pears—			
Farm	2 years	4 ft.x18 in.	7260	Standard	3 to 4 years	20x20 ft.	108
Garden	2 years	2x1 ft.	21780	Plums	3 to 4 years	20x20 ft.	108
Blackberries	1 year	8x6 ft.	907	Raspberries	1 year	6x4 ft.	1815
Cherries—				Rhubarb	1 year	4x3 ft.	3630
Sour	3 to 4 years	15x15 ft.	193	Sage	1 year	3x3 ft.	4840
Currants	2 years	4x4 ft.	2722	Strawberries—			
Gooseberries	2 years	4x4 ft.	2722	Farm	1 year	4x1 ft.	10890
Grapes	2 years	8x8 ft.	680	Garden	1 year	2x1 ft.	21780





Waneta Plum.

# Hardy Plums

Why not plant some Plums which bear large crops the second year after planting? But don't stop with one tree, for the laws of nature make them bear better in groups. There are plums for every palate and for every purpose. From the sugary fruit of the prunes to the most sharply acid, and from the small trees for dooryard shade to the kinds adapted for large orchards, the Plum affords ample room for selection and adaptability. As a fruit for the home orchard, the Plum is ideal, while for the commercial grower, the opportunities are almost unlimited.

No other fruit, unless it is the cherry, will produce more abundantly than the Plum.

5 to 6 ft., 50c each, express collect; 3 to 4 ft., (prepaid) 30c each.

The list that we offer are the choicest varieties for the home and commercial planting.

**APRICOT PLUM** (Hanska Type). This variety has all the good qualities that a Plum should have, with an apricot flavor. The fruit is excellent for eating from the tree, canning, preserving or making jelly. The luscious fruit is reddish blue. Tree strong grower, a six-year-old tree measuring thirty feet high and twenty feet across, making a stronger growth than any other Plum. A good shipper. Freestone. Season August.

**LORING PRIZE.** August. Fruit very large, nearly round and bright cherry-red, meaty and quite firm, keeping and shipping finely.

**SAPA** (Hansen). July. An extremely early, vigorous bearer. Fruit medium size, glossy black; flesh deep reddish purple, excellent flavor; skin very tender.

**TERRY** (Native). August. Best of the Natives. Fruit very large, of bright red color and fine quality. One of the largest and most handsome hardy Plums yet produced and which deserves extensive planting. Fruit ripens evenly and is a good keeper.

**WANETA** (Hansen). July. The fruit is of immense size, deep bright red; skin very thin, and the flavor is delicious. Prof. Hansen's best Plum, and in fact, one of the greatest of all Plums.

**GOLDENROD.** Tree is tall, vigorous, upright in form, hardy, productive; fruit medium to large in size, round, clear yellow. Flesh firm, moderately juicy, moderately sweet; fair to good in quality, stone medium in size, cling. Season last of August. The most beautiful of all yellow Plums.

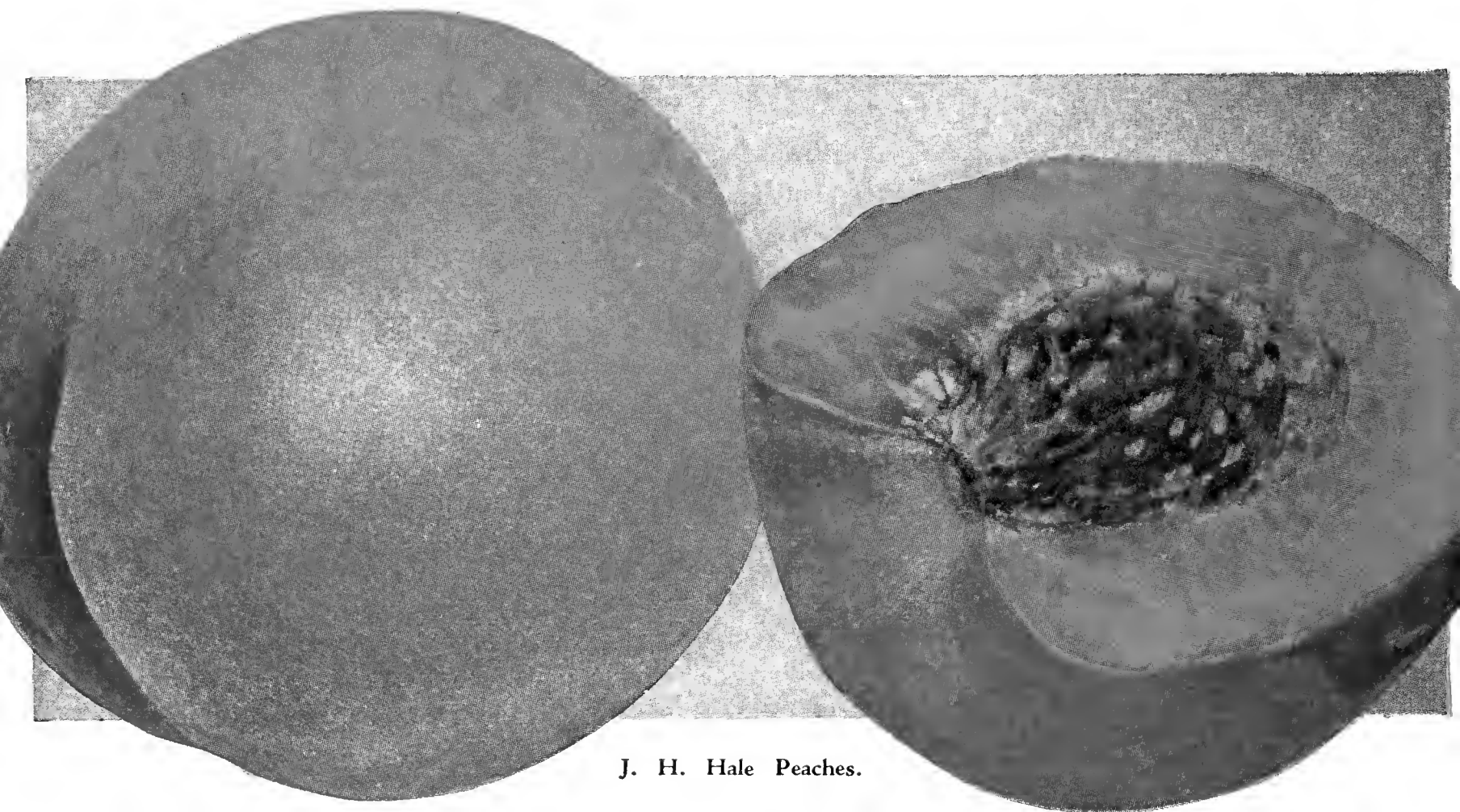
**MONITOR.** An unusually strong growing tree that naturally develops into a shapely tree without pruning. Very best quality fruit, firm flesh, large, averaging 1½ to 1¾ inches. Splendid shipper.

**UNDERWOOD.** This is the earliest of the large new Plums. Ripens from about August 1st to 15th, and attains a size of 1¾ inches. The tree is one of the strongest growers of all these new Plums and gets to be very large, furnishing a large bearing surface to produce wonderful crops of beautiful fruit. Fruit is very attractive; red, firm, juicy flesh, very small pit, freestone. Splendid quality.

**WELCH'S BLUE BONNET.** This Plum was originated by us here at Shenandoah. We have been breeding this Plum up for a good many years and now have enough stock of it to offer to the trade. This tree is a vigorous, upright grower and is not subject to breakage from wind. The fruit is bluish purple, round in shape and resembles the California Prune; also excellent to eat from the tree or for canning, because of its high content of sugar. Tree is a prolific bearer. 4-ft. trees, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.



Blue Bonnet Plum.



J. H. Hale Peaches.

## Peaches

The most universally planted fruit for home use. Peach trees are being planted profitably as fillers in apple orchards, for they make ground space that is practically idle, pay well until the apples come into bearing. Peach trees will thrive wherever corn or potatoes can be raised. Next to apples, Peaches are more relished and used for a greater variety of purposes than most of the other fruits. In the dooryard, the Peach tree is decorative at all seasons, and especially when laden with its bower of lovely pink blossoms in the spring. And what is more enjoyable in the summer than to eat your fill of luscious Peaches from your own trees. For the commercial grower, Peaches produce fortunes, and a well-cared-for Peach orchard is a veritable mint for coining money. We list the best and hardiest varieties.

**CHAMPION (Freestone).** Fruit large, beautiful in appearance, flavor delicious, sweet, rich and juicy; skin creamy white with red cheeks; freestone. The peculiarity of this acquisition is its hardiness. It stood temperatures of 18 degrees below zero and produced an abundant crop the following season, and again in 1890 produced a full crop when the Peach crop was a universal failure. August.

**CRAWFORD'S EARLY (Freestone).** Highly esteemed for market. Fruit large, oblong, yellow, showy red cheeks. Flesh yellow, juicy, sweet; good bearer. August.

**CRAWFORD'S LATE (Freestone).** Fruit of large size, skin yellow, with a dull red cheek, flesh yellow; tree vigorous. September.

**ELBERTA (Freestone).** Fruit large, yellow with red cheeks, flesh yellow, juicy, fine quality. Tree hardy and exceedingly productive. Ripens with the Crawford's Early. Exceptionally large and fine. August.

**J. H. HALE (Freestone).** The fruit is larger than the Elberta, a perfect freestone, somewhat roundish, rich golden yellow, covered with carmine. Skin thick and entirely without fuzz. The flesh is dark yellow, fine grained and firm, parting as easily from the pit as any Elberta. The flavor is excellent, absolutely of the best. The tree is hardy, bears young and profusely, probably the best bearer known. One of the best for family use and especially for the market. August.

**EARLY ELBERTA (Free).** Larger than Elberta, though identical in form; bright yellow with red blush; flesh yellow, finer grained and sweeter than Elberta; ripens a week to ten days before Elberta, good shipper. Tree strong grower, hardy, good bearer. Last of August.

### Prices

5 to 6 ft. (express collect) each \$0.40

3 to 4 ft. (prepaid):  
Each .....\$0.25

**ROCHESTER. (Freestone).** Early midseason. Color lemon-yellow changing to orange-yellow, blushed with deep, dark red. Skin thick, tough. Flesh yellow stained with red near the pit. Very juicy, tender and melting. Sweet. Highly flavored. Very good in quality.

**SOUTH HAVEN (Freestone).** The great hardy Peach for cold regions, stands 10 degrees colder weather than any other Peach grown. Large, yellow freestone. Large as Elberta and a week earlier on the

market. Of all Peaches for Indiana markets, this rules supreme. Plant for commercial purposes: South Haven, Elberta, J. H. Hale. All yellow, all freestone, all money-makers.

**MAYFLOWER.** The earliest ripening Peach. Medium in size, dark red in color with a juicy, tender white flesh. Quality fair. Tree productive. Ripens last week in June or first of July.

**SALWEY (Freestone).** Large, roundish, deep yellow with rich red cheek; flesh yellow, firm and juicy; sugary; a valuable late market sort. First of October.

**RED BIRD CLING.** Here is the best of all early Peaches. The tree is hardy, vigorous and very productive. The fruit is of good size and of very showy appearance, being an attractive creamy white, splashed or blushed with red. Flesh white, firm, meaty and of good flavor. A fruit that will stand shipping. One of the best home fruits and a leading early market Peach.

**BELLE OF GEORGIA.** Very large, skin white with red cheek, flesh white, firm, and of excellent flavor. Tree a rapid grower, very prolific. Ripens with Early Crawford.

**HEATH CLING (Clingstone).** Large, round, white, juicy and fine quality. Best for pickling. October.

# Gooseberries

**DOWNING.** A well known American sort, which has given the best results everywhere. Large and handsome, pale green berry; of splendid quality for dessert and cooking. Bush vigorous, a strong and upright grower and exceedingly productive. 2-year, prepaid, 15c each; \$12.50 per 100.

**HOUGHTON.** An enormously productive and always reliable old variety. Of vigorous growth, slender and spreading, not subject to mildew. Fruit rather small, smooth, pale red, tender and of good quality. 2-year, prepaid, 15c each; \$12.50 per 100.



Downing  
Gooseberries.

# Currants

**CHERRY.** (Red). Fruit very large, tart. 2-year, prepaid, 15c each; not prepaid, \$12.50 per 100.

**FAY'S PROLIFIC.** (Red). Large size, fine flavor, and claimed to be twice as prolific as the Cherry. 2-year, prepaid, 15c each; not prepaid, \$12.50 per 100.

**LONDON MARKET.** Large, red, fine. It is one of the most productive Currants known, and quality superior to anything on the market. The flavor is rich, mild, sub-acid. 2-year, prepaid, 15c each; not prepaid, \$12.50 per 100.

**RED CROSS.** A strong growing variety. Clusters long; berry medium to large, bright red; quality good. 2-year, prepaid, 15c each; not prepaid, \$12.50 per 100.

**WHITE GRAPE.** Berries large to very large, very attractive color, mild flavor and good quality. 2-year, prepaid, 15c each; not prepaid, \$12.50 per 100.



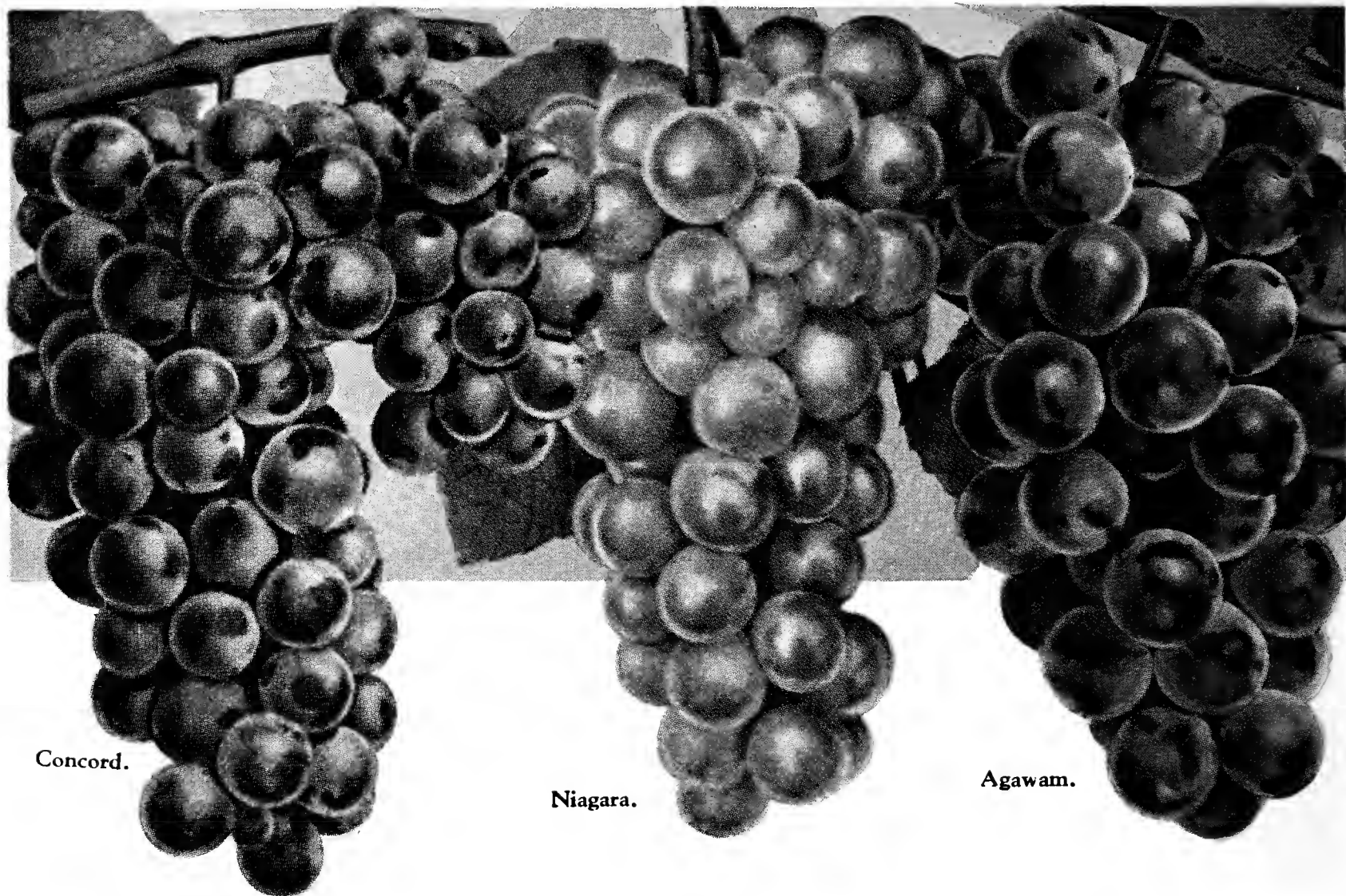
London  
Market  
Currants.

## BIG BARGAINS in Small Fruits

8 Downing  
Gooseberries  
2-yr.,  
\$1.00  
Postpaid

8 Cherry  
Currants  
2-yr.,  
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## Grapes

There is no more healthful drink than good sweet grape juice. Everyone in the family can drink it and be the better for it. A drink for the gods and for the humblest laborer toiling in the hot sun; it has found its way in administering to the sick and to the merrymakers; it has become an element of the sacrament and of the celebration. Knowing what real values there are in Grape culture, I like to think that I am building up the health of my customers, when I recommend heavy planting of Grapes. Grape culture pays. Never hesitate to put faith in a Grape vine, for it will justify that faith if you give it half a chance. There was never a time when Grapes would not sell for the making of jelly, for juice or to eat fresh. My motto for Grapes is: "Live with the Grape and Postpone the Crepe."

**AGAWAM.** Bunch large, shouldered, berry large reddish brown, tender, vinous and of excellent flavor. Very vigorous and productive. Vine hardy and one of the best of its class. The most productive of all reds. 2-year, prepaid, 12c each. Not prepaid, \$10.00 per 100.

**BETA.** A small to medium sized black Grape, quite acid, but of good quality and fine flavor. Very early, prolific and healthy. It is valuable chiefly for its hardiness. It is hardy without protection far into Minnesota. It is especially valuable for arbors. 2-year, prepaid, 12c each.

**CACO.** The vines are strong and vigorous, as yet untouched by disease of any kind. The fruit is very large, in handsome, complete bunches; in color a rich wine red or amber. Exceptionally early bearing, usually showing several good sized bunches the second year. Its flavor is luscious, sweet, delightful, distinctive. Good strong vines, 25c each.

**CONCORD.** The old standby in the leading market vineyards, and in home garden variety. No matter how few the Grapes planted in the yard, Concord should be included. "The Grape

for the Millions." Excellent for grape juice, wine, table use, canning and market. Black. 2-year, prepaid, 10c each; not prepaid, \$8.00 per 100.

**MOORE'S EARLY.** A seedling of Concord. Bunch medium, berries very large. Desirable for an early market, and particularly adapted to the northern portions of the United States. Black. 2-year, prepaid, 12c each. Not prepaid, \$10.00 per 100.

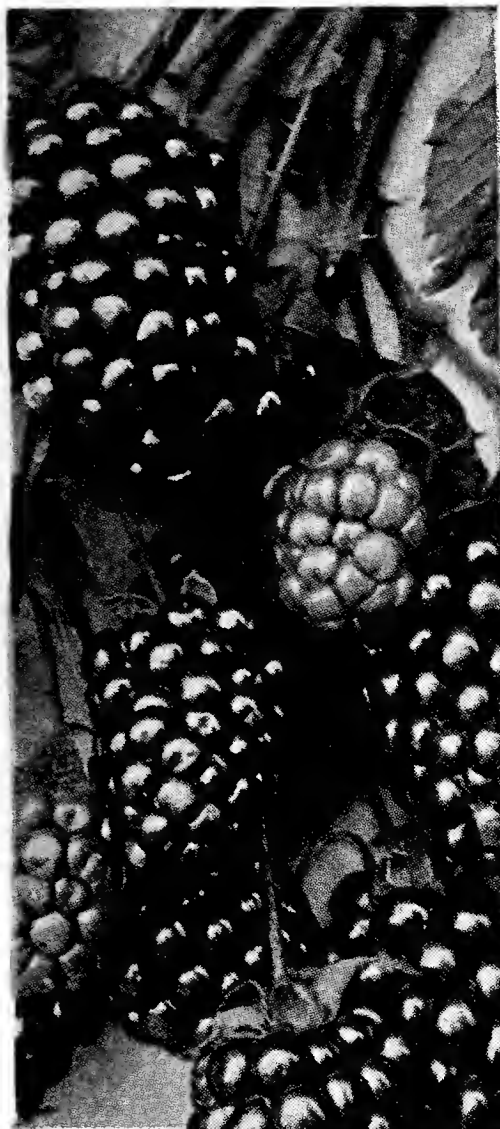
**NIAGARA.** The leading white Grape. 2-year, prepaid, 12c each.

**WORDEN.** Said to be a seedling of the Concord, and is a slight improvement on that variety. Black. 2-year, prepaid, 12c each.

### 10 FINE GRAPES

2 Agawam	3 Concord
2 Niagara	3 Moore's Early
2-year, Postpaid	\$1.00



Eldorado  
Blackberries.

## Blackberries

**EARLY HARVEST.** Good quality; firm; extremely productive; attractive on the market; an early sort. \$2.00 per 100, prepaid.

**ELDORADO.** A valuable Blackberry for our northern climate. Berries large, jet black, ripen well together and borne in large clusters; they are sweet and delicious, have no hard core and keep well after picking. \$2.25 per 100.

**MERSEREAU.** Berries exceptionally large, sweet and very luscious, being without core. Foliage large, abundant, free from rust and blight. Two weeks earlier than Snyder. \$2.25 per 100.

**SNYDER.** The old standard. Very hardy, consequently much raised in cold climates. Berries medium size, juicy, rich; strong, stout cane, thrifty growth, very broad leaf. \$2.00 per 100.

## Dewberries

**LUCRETIA.** The big, hardy low trailing berry. Fruit is glossy black, resembling the Blackberry, but of milder richness in flavor, being very sweet and juicy. Ripens ahead of the Blackberry. Good heavy plants. 25 for 75c; \$2.00 per 100.

## Raspberries

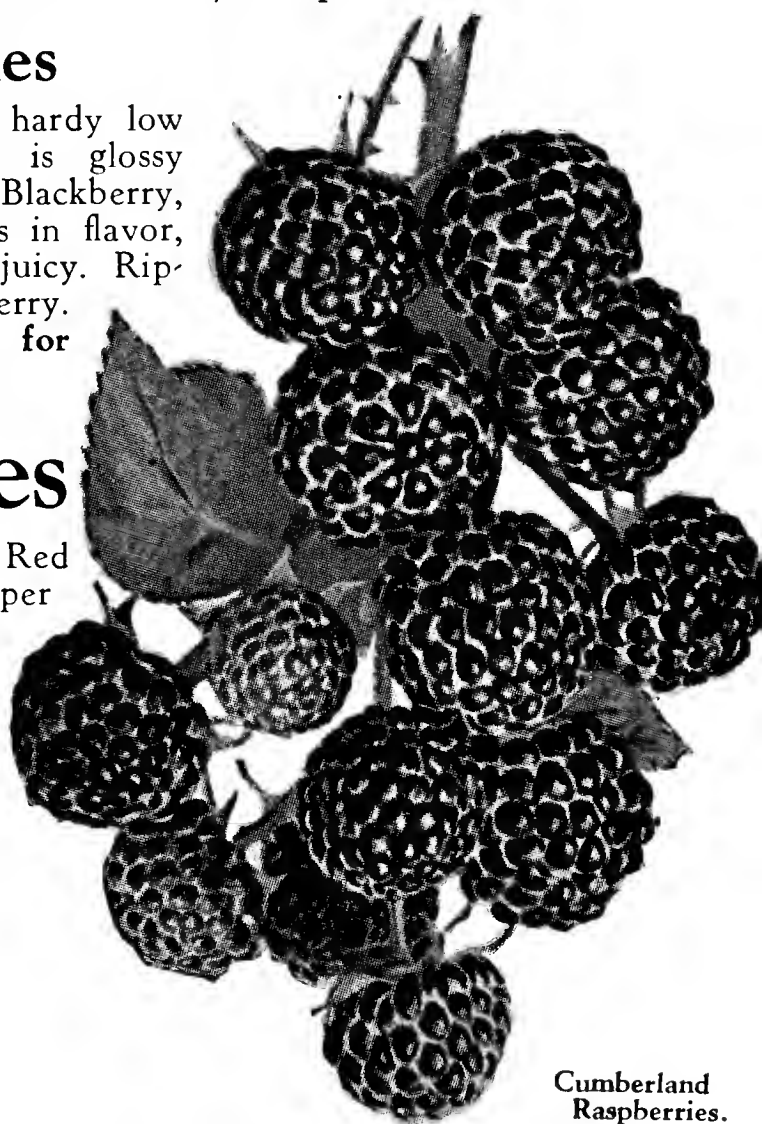
**CHIEF.** The new hardy Red Raspberry. A heavy cropper and disease free; extra good shipper. The outstanding red Raspberry. \$2.50 per 100.

**EARLY KING.** The most satisfactory red Raspberry for you to grow for market purposes; large in size, very productive, firm and hardy, holds up for days after being picked without losing its bright, fresh color; always sells for a fancy price; a vigorous grower and free from disease. You will like the King. \$2.00 per 100.

**LATHAM.** (Red). Fruit of fair size and quality. Worthy of trial where Raspberries winter-kill, as it has endured 41 degrees below zero without protection. Succeeds wherever red sorts do well and promises to become the leading variety. A most delicious table berry. \$2.25 per 100.



Latham Raspberries.

Cumberland  
Raspberries.

**ST. REGIS EVERBEARING.** The new everbearing variety. It gives a crop of fruit all summer and autumn, fruiting on the old canes in generous quantities until late in August. By this date berries begin to ripen on the younger canes and continue until late in autumn. Berries are a bright crimson, of large size and of surprising quality, sugary, with full Raspberry flavor. \$2.00 per 100.

**CUMBERLAND.** (Early Black). This splendid blackcap Raspberry is by far the most widely planted, most successful and most profitable variety. Is extremely hardy, upright, vigorous grower, extraordinarily productive, disease resistant. Fruit very large, firm, excellent quality, ships well. The standard black Raspberry. Tips, 25 for 75c; 100 for \$2.00. 2-yr. transplants, 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.50.

# MASTODON *Strawberries*

The Mastodon Everbearing Strawberry is the most popular new variety ever introduced, and I believe it is the biggest and best Strawberry I have ever seen. It would be a prize if it were only a spring bearer, but when you know that it is a true everbearer, it's surely a world beater. It is a big, dark red, solid, high flavored berry and carries to market perfectly. The plants are big and husky and produce lots of berries all summer, from spring until snow flies. The long roots grow down and down after moisture. Every plant bears. There are no drones.

**AROMA.** Profitably grown in every state of the union. One of the best late varieties, a vigorous grower and very productive and with excellent shipping qualities. Fruit is large with bright red attractive appearance. 50c per 100; \$4.00 per 1000, prepaid.

**BLAKEMORE.** A recent introduction of the June-bearing Strawberry originated by Prof. Beatty, of the U. S.

Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C. A large, solid, finely flavored berry, a good keeper, and a wonderful plant maker. Considered superior to Dunlap for commercial purposes. 50c per 100; \$4.00 per 1000, prepaid.

**EARLY OZARK.** This is a most remarkable berry—one of the best all around Strawberries ever produced. It has few equals, and no superiors. It is ten days earlier than Senator Dunlap. 50c per 100; \$4.00 per 1000, prepaid.

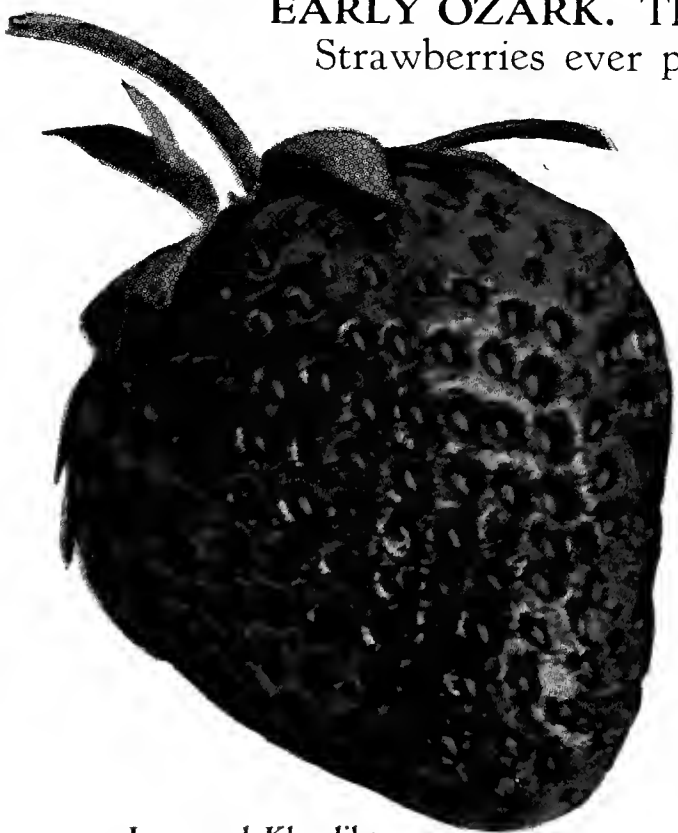
**IMPROVED KLONDYKE.** One of the very best paying early varieties. Berries are uniform in shape and size, dark red color and are mild and delicious. The plants make a remarkable growth and are tall and compact. 50c per 100; \$4.00 per 1000, prepaid.

**MISSIONARY.** Large blood red solid firm berry. A very good early variety and a strong grower. Makes plants freely and is very productive. A plant that succeeds in all parts of the country. 50c per 100; \$4.00 per 1000, prepaid.

Strawberries cannot be shipped with other nursery stock. They will come by themselves, in open-end packages. This insures the plants reaching you in good condition.



Mastodon.



Improved Klondike.



# Strawberries

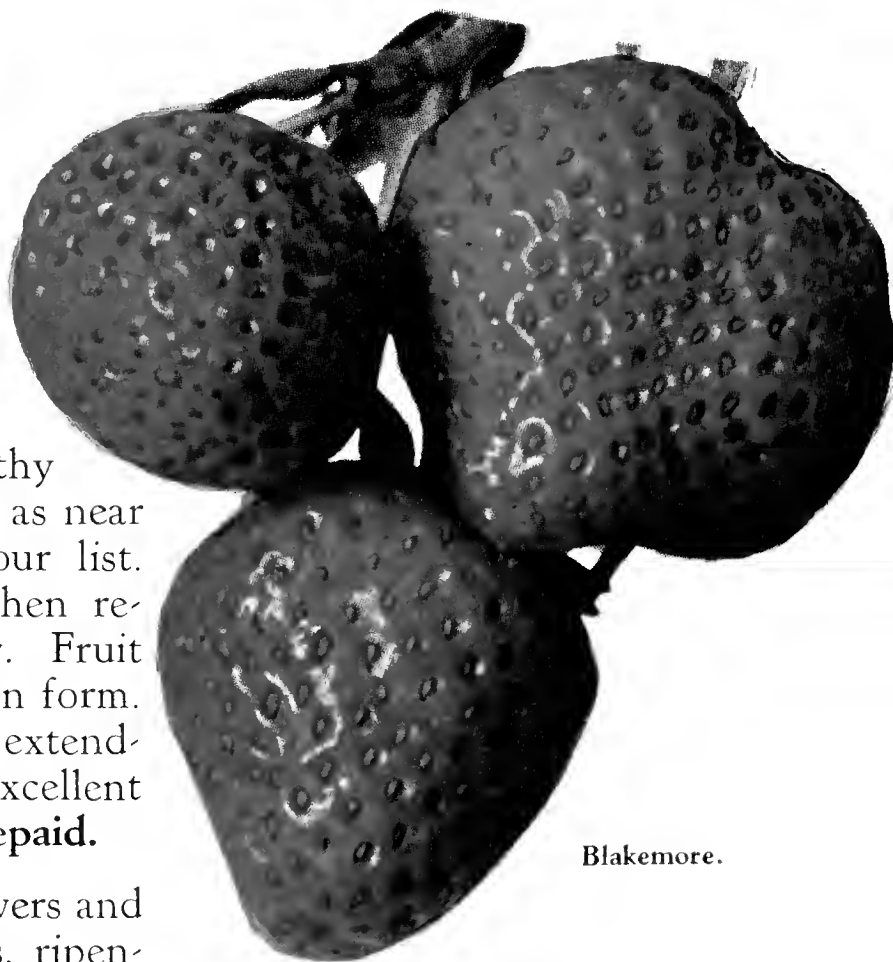
We have made an extensive study of Strawberry plants, and offer you only the ones that have proven profitable—the healthy, vigorous sorts that yield big crops.

## SENATOR DUNLAP. The Main Crop

**Berry.** Plants medium size, perfectly healthy and very prolific. Long rooted, and comes as near being drought-proof as any variety in our list. Makes plants freely, and will do best when restricted to the hedge or half-matted row. Fruit large, smooth, regular, and very attractive in form. Very firm and of beautiful deep red color, extending well to the center of the berry. Of excellent quality. 50c per 100; \$4.00 per 1000, prepaid.

**PREMIER.** Extra large plants, vigorous growers and heavy producers of big, bright red berries, ripen-

ing very early when Strawberries are selling at a high price. Although the earliest of all Strawberries, it also has a long fruiting season. A wonderful keeper and a splendid shipping variety. First choice of all successful Strawberry growers. 60c per 100; \$4.50 per 1000, prepaid.



Blakemore.

## WELCH'S CHOICE Home Strawberry Collection

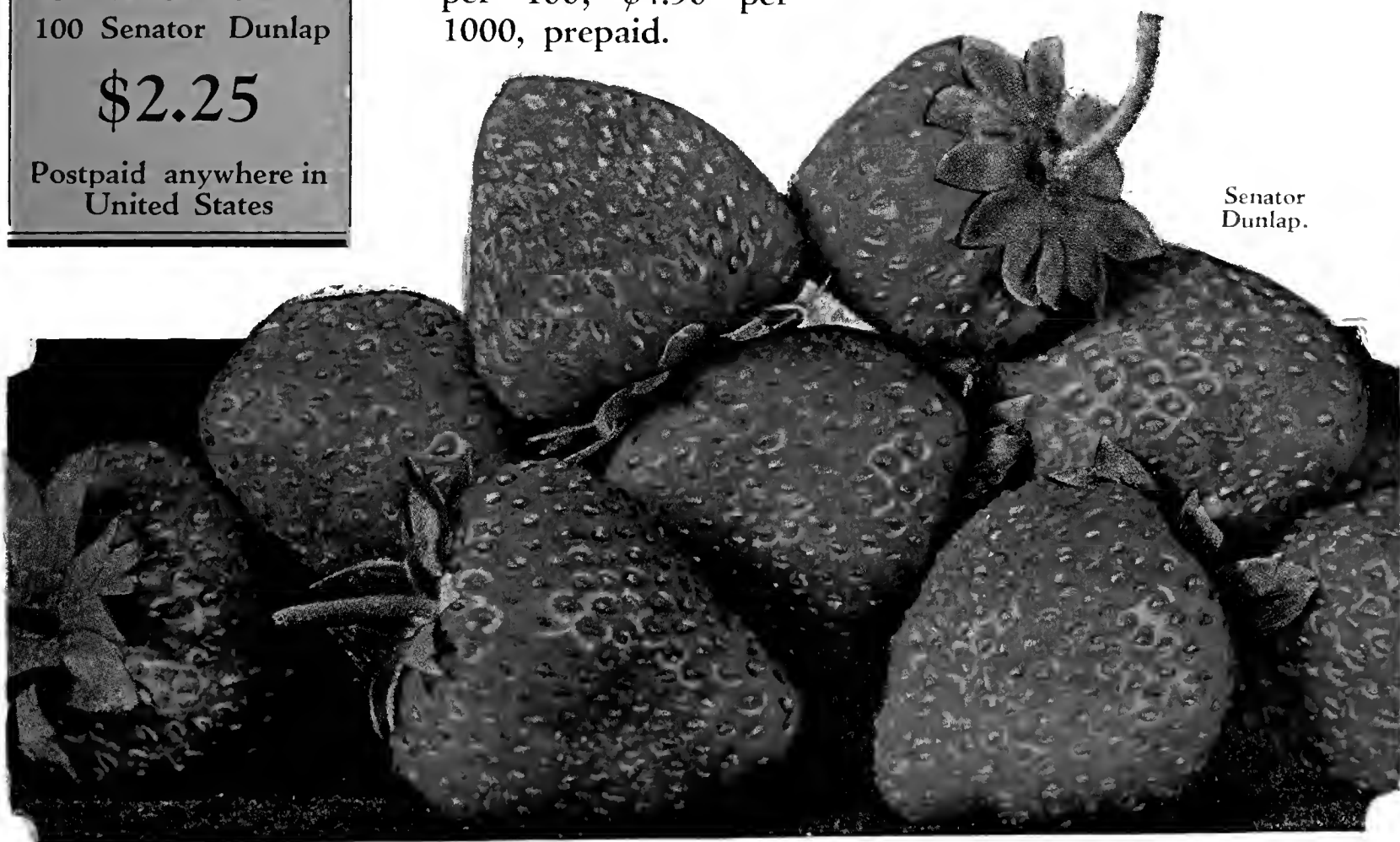
100 Everbearing  
Mastodon  
100 Blakemore  
100 Senator Dunlap

**\$2.25**

Postpaid anywhere in  
United States

## Our Guarantee

All goods are guaranteed to reach you in good live growing condition. Mistakes, if made, will be promptly adjusted. Accept the shipment and notify us at once, should there be any errors, and the carrier as well, should there be any damaged stock. This guarantee is not good unless above requirements are complied with. Nursery stock is just the same as human beings—it breathes, drinks, and feeds, and is subject to disease. With proper planting and proper care, we know that our stock will grow and do well for you.



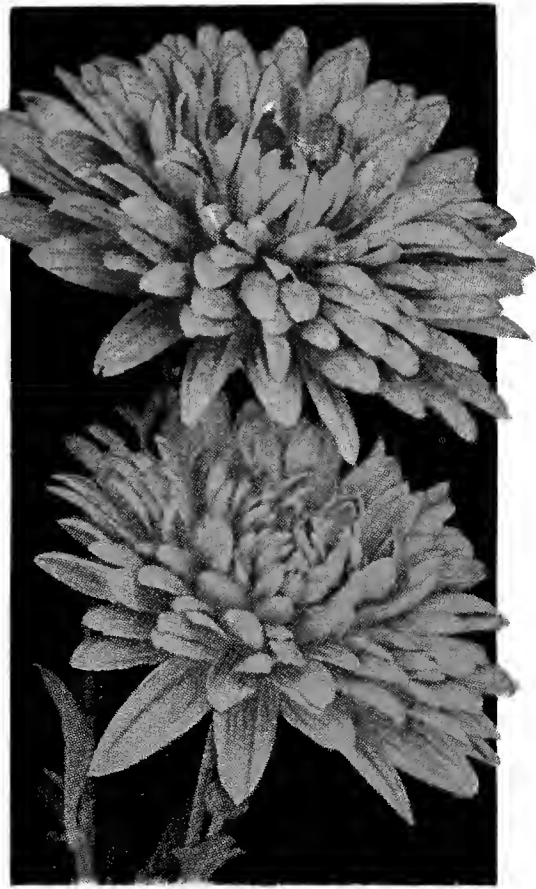
Senator  
Dunlap.

# PERENNIALS

Old  
and New

Perennials have never been so popular as they are at the present time. They are planted once and they are always there, living through the winter with little or no protection, the flowers become better as the plant grows older. The old familiar flowers that made grandmother's garden a favorite place are still dear to the hearts of modern home-makers of today.

Rock gardens, so popular with flower lovers, are no longer found only in parks or large estates, but can be had in the small city garden as well. They work in particularly with a pool, either formal or informal. Because of the growing interest of this type of perennial, we are including a few of those best suited for rock garden culture, and are marking them (\*).



**Chrysanthemums**—2 each red, yellow, white and pink, or your choice of colors—8 for \$1.00.

**DELPHINIUM (Larkspur).** Tall spikes of dark blue flowers, producing an abundance of bloom. Make a good background for low growing flowers. 20c each; 3 for 50c.

**DELPHINIUM, English Hybrids, Wrexham Strain.** Magnificent long-stemmed massive type developed in England. Very tall, stocky growth with flower spikes like hollyhocks. 25c each.

**OSTRICH FERN.** Erect, dark green, feathery foliage, making a most effective background for smaller Ferns. rows to a height of 3 feet, width of fronds 6 to 10 inches. Thrives in shaded nooks or open sun. Manure well. 15c each; 3 for 40c.

**MAIDENHAIR FERN.** This well known Fern is indispensable in the making of floral pieces and winter bouquets; a showy, useful type of fern, with fine, wiry stems and delicate, finely cut, green fronds. 15c each; 3 for 40c.

**\*FORGET-ME-NOT.** A variety that is hardly ever out of flower; useful in shady spots. Makes a good ground cover. 20c each.

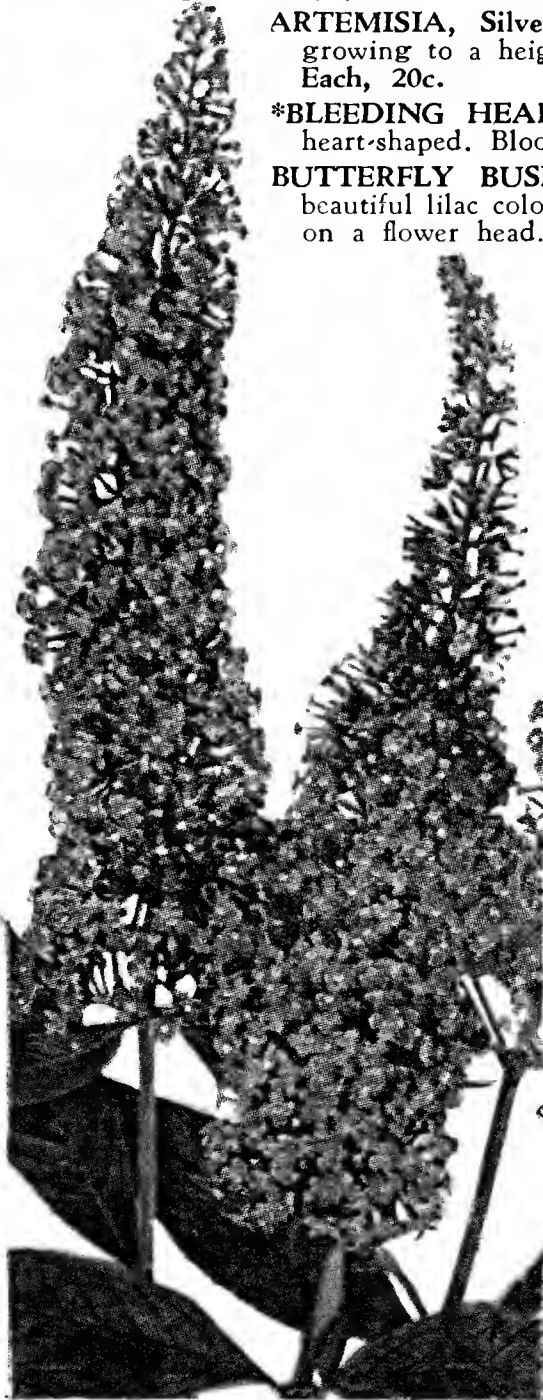
**\*FUNKIA (Plantain Lily).** Large, pure white, lily-shaped, fragrant flowers in August and September. Excellent around a pool. 30c each.

**GAILLARDIA (Blanket Flower).** The gorgeous flowers are dark red in the center with bands of crimson-orange. A mass of bloom from June till autumn. 20c each; 3 for 50c.

**GOLDEN GLOW.** A large showy plant, resembling yellow chrysanthemums. 20c each.

**GYPSOPHILA (Baby's Breath).** A beautiful old-fashioned plant that has a mass of pure white, tiny flowers, making a mistlike appearance. Exquisite in combination with other flowers. 20c each.

**HOLLYHOCKS.** Among the very finest of the old hardy plants, the Hollyhock still holds a proud place and may be termed one of the great flowers of July. It has the widest range of colors among tall garden plants. Flowers are very showy, produced in great abundance on long, towering spikes. Height 6 to 8 ft. Blooms June to August. 25 for \$1.00.



Butterfly Bush.

**ARTEMISIA, Silver King.** A striking silver foliage plant, growing to a height of 3 ft. Excellent for winter bouquets. Each, 20c.

**\*BLEEDING HEART.** An old favorite. Flower light red, heart-shaped. Blooms early in spring. 35c each.

**BUTTERFLY BUSH.** It produces long, graceful stems of beautiful lilac colored flowers, that are borne by the hundreds on a flower head. It blossoms from early summer till frost. 25c each.

**\*CERASTIUM (Snow-in-Summer).** A desirable low growing plant, with silvery foliage and white flowers in June. Does best in dry, sunny location. 20c each.

**CLOVE PINKS.** Few other plants produce more flowers or cover a longer blooming period. Very fragrant, with grass-like foliage and variegated blooms. 20c each.

**CHRYSANTHEMUMS.** A very popular flower in all shades of red, pink, yellow and white. Blossoms in late August or September and continues in bloom into November after all other outdoor flowers are gone. Easy to grow and succeeds in almost any soil. 15c each.

**COLUMBINE.** An old garden favorite and one of the most desirable hardy garden plants. The peculiar shaped flowers, with their long, slender spurs, are produced in great abundance. Beautiful colors in red and yellow, blue and pink. 20c each; 3 for 50c.

**\*COREOPSIS.** Rich golden yellow flowers of graceful form. Fine for cutting. 20c each; 3 for 50c.

**\*DAISY, Shasta.** Flowers large, white with yellow center. Borne on long, stiff stems. Has long blossom season. 20c each; 3 for 50c.



3 Columbines, 50c.



## Your Permanent Garden

**LILY, Regal.** A beautiful new Lily which recently came from China. Flowers are white, slightly suffused with pink, with beautiful glow of canary-yellow part way up the trumpet. Its perfume is exquisite. Very hardy. **Blooming size, 10 for \$1.00.**

**PYRETHRUM. (Persian Daisy).** Finely cut foliage and daisy-like flowers of rose shades. A splendid garden flower. **20c each; 3 for 50c.**

**\*SEDUM.** We list three varieties of old-fashioned "Live-Forever," so popular with our grandmothers.

**S. acre (Goldmoss Stonecrop).** Good in sunny or shady spots. Low growing ground cover. A mass of yellow flowers in July. **20c each.**

**S. sexangulare.** Low growing in habit, giving a dark green cover for rocks or bare space. **20c each.**

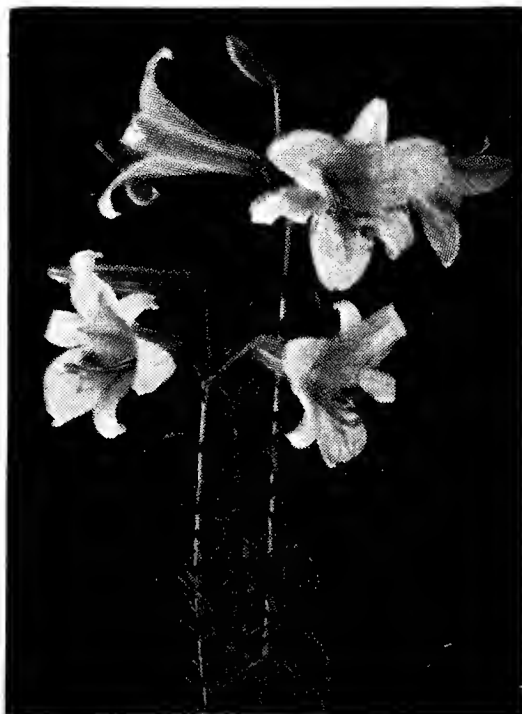
**S. spectabile.** One of the prettiest erect growing species, attaining a height of about 18 inches, with broad, light green foliage and immense heads of handsome, showy rose colored flowers in August and September. **25c each.**

**\*STATICE (Great Sea Lavender).** A mass of dainty, purplish blue flowers in July and August. Much used for winter bouquets, as well as best adapted for Rock Gardens. **20c each.**

**\*SWEET WILLIAM.** The old-time favorite, bearing during May and June a profusion of round topped clusters of flowers of all shades of red, pink and white. Mixed colors. **15c, 3 for 40c.**

**RED SWEET WILLIAM.** Perfectly hardy, bright red and bloom all summer. **20c each.**

**TRITOMA (Red Hot Poker).** Tall spikes three to four feet high, with beautiful flower heads of rich orange-scarlet. **25c each.**



10 Regal Lilies, \$1.00



3 Pyrethrums, 50c.

**VIOLA, Jersey Gem.** Hardy tufted pansies. Handsome dwarf dainty plants, a cross between the pansy and the violet. Slightly perfumed and bloom continuously all summer. Pure rich violet color. **20c each.**

**YUCCA.** Broad, swordlike, evergreen foliage, immense spikes of creamy white flowers, one of the few perennials that will withstand heat and drought. Stands out among all other plants. **10c each, or 6 for 50c.**



Rijnstroom

## Hardy Garden Phlox

Effective, hardy plants which bloom all summer in tall spikes of many different colors.

**Champs Elysee.** Large, fine rich purplish crimson. **20c each.**

**Bridesmaid.** White, red eye. **20c each.**

**Flora T. Ready.** Large heads of pure white. Long blooming season. Best of all whites. **20c each.**

**Special French.** Hydrangea-pink color, with red eye. **20c each.**

**Miss Lingard.** Has immense heads of beautiful white flowers in June and blooms again in September. Splendid grower. **20c each.**

**R. P. Struthers.** Brilliant rosy red, crimson eye. One of the very best Phlox. **20c each.**

**Rijnstroom.** Extra large, rose-pink. Very fine. **20c each.**

**Phlox, unnamed.** Pink, red, and white. **15c each; 4 for 50c. 4 named sorts, 75c.**



High Bush Cranberry.

**DOGWOOD, Silver leaf.** Beautiful because of the pure white markings on the dark green leaves, very showy. Bark bright red in the winter. 35c each.

**COTONEASTER.** Tall, upright, and densely branched shrub with dark waxy foliage turning red late in the season. Glossy black fruit usually remaining throughout the winter. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**DEUTZIA, Pride of Rochester.** Large flowering. Very ornamental and graceful shrub, producing many double white flowers along full length of branches in June. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**ELDER, aurea (Golden Elder).** Its golden yellow leaves contrast beautifully with the other shrubs. Flowers white, in flat topped cymes. Grows naturally 10 to 15 feet, but can be pruned into a neat, compact little bush. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**FORSYTHIA Fortunei (Golden Bell).** Few, if any of the spring-flowering hardy shrubs can surpass the splendor and brilliancy of the Forsythias. Of upright, vigorous growth, foliage rich, dark green and lustrous. Flowers brilliant golden yellow, borne in great

New  
Homes  
from  
Old!

# Flowering

A well planted home sends out a perpetual smile, winter and summer alike, to your family and every passing stranger.

Plan your planting as far as possible. Anyone who tries to outline certain plans to fit every lawn or doorstep takes the individuality from such a planting. Let your lawn reflect your own ideas. You, remember, are the one to be pleased. We take more pleasure and interest in the things we create ourselves.

Nothing adds to the beauty of your home like a planting of shrubs and flowers. At a small cost you can have a very attractive place, with a succession of bloom the season through. **Prepaid prices.**

**ALMOND, Pink.** A beautiful flowering shrub. The branches are covered, just as the leaves come, with small, very double, rose-like flowers that are deep pink. Should be planted in a sunny place. 18 to 24 ins., 45c each.

**ALTHEA.** Large, showy shrub, with bright colored flowers in rose, red, pink, white and purple. Blooms when few other shrubs are in bloom. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**CORNUS sibirica (Dogwood).** A tall, spreading shrub, extremely hardy; white flowers in June, followed by red berries. Its chief beauty is in its bark, which turns bright crimson in the fall. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**DOGWOOD, Yellow.** 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.



Forsythia Fortunei.



# Shrubs

A House is  
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profusion early in April before leaves appear. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**F. suspensa (Weeping).**

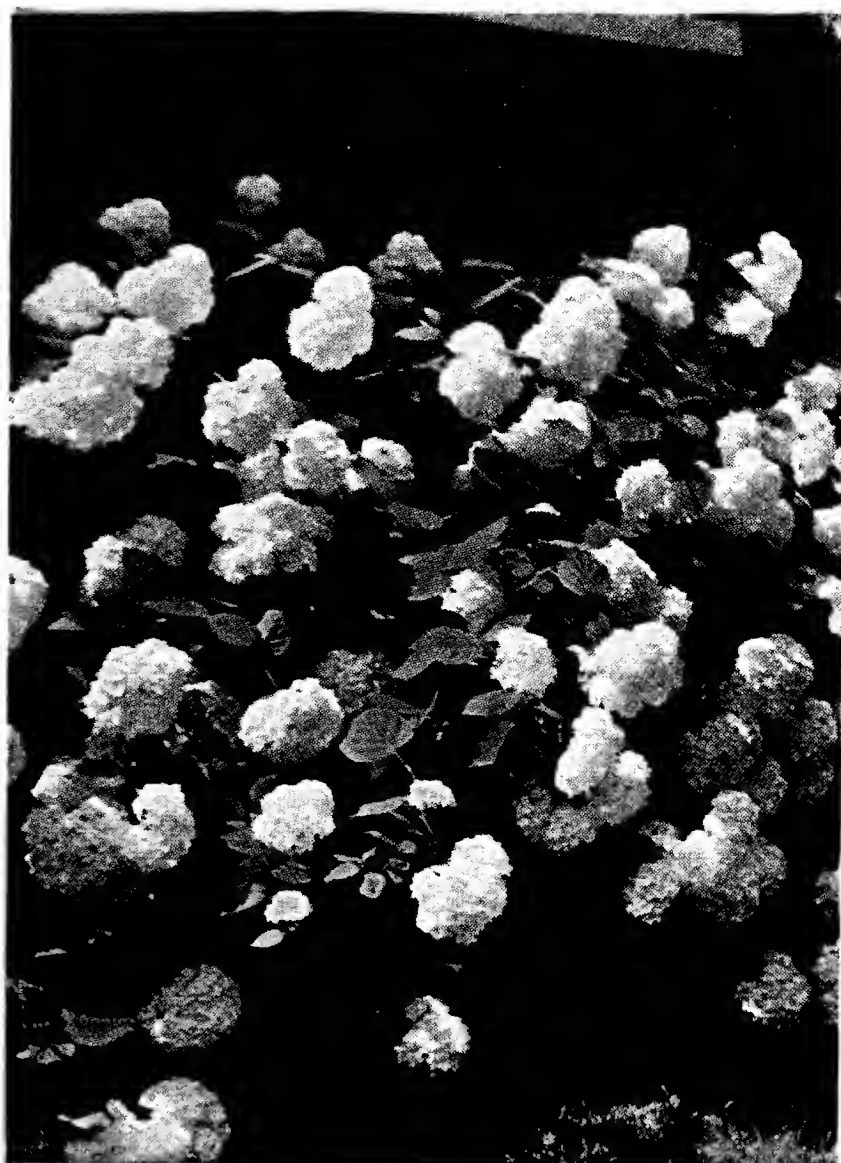
Splendidly drooping branches strung with bright rosettes of yellow bloom and shiny leaves. These are airily graceful, swaying loose from trellis top or garden wall; or mingle pleasantly with the trailing growth of honeysuckle, and other ground-covering vines. 18 to 24 in., 25c each.

**HIGH BUSH CRANBERRY.** Handsome, showy shrub similar to the snowball, but with flat shaped blooms, followed by clusters of berries similar to the cranberry, 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**HONEYSUCKLE, Tartarian.** This is one of our favorite shrubs. Absolutely hardy, does splendidly, even in the drier portions of the Dakotas and Montana. A nice, trim, clean looking shrub that grows to a height of from 6 to 10 feet. It is covered in May and June with small, star-shaped flowers either white, light pink, or deep pink, when it is very fragrant. The flowers are followed by showy, currant-like, red berries, which cling for many weeks. Red and pink, 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.



Five Hydrangea P. G., 18 in., \$1.00.



Five Hydrangea, Hills of Snow, 18 in., \$1.00.

**HYDRANGEA arborescens (A.G.) (Hills of Snow).** This is the early blooming outdoor Hydrangea. The snow white bloom is immense, round, very full. 18 to 24 ins, 25c each.

**H. paniculata (P. G.).** Fall blooming. The most beautiful and striking of all flowering shrubs. Bears immense clusters of creamy white flowers in August, turning to bright pink and rose, and finally to bronze in September. Grows 3 to 4 feet high, and does well in sunny locations. The flowers dry like everlasting, and can be kept indoors all winter. Very hardy. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**HYPERICUM aureum (Golden St. John's Wort).** A hardy shrub attaining a height of about 3 feet. Flowers in small clusters; golden yellow petals surrounding a tuft of down-like stamens. Very attractive when in bloom. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**JETBEAD (White Kerria).** An attractive rounded shrub 3 to 6 feet high, with beautiful yellowish green, corrugated foliage and large, single white flowers late in May, black seeds following. Particularly valuable because it will endure partial shade. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

## SHRUBS—Continued.

**FRENCH LILACS.** Hardy improved varieties that bloom second year after planting. These hybrid types give a most delightful variety in color. 18 to 24 ins., 40c each. Following are the best varieties:

**L., Charles X.** A strong growing bush producing large heads of reddish purple bloom. One of the best.

**L., Madame Lemoine.** Large pure white double flowers.

**L., President Grevy.** Clusters of large, double blue flowers.

**LILAC, Persian Purple.** Blooms a good deal more than the common, and has smaller leaves. Does not sprout from the roots. Beautiful purple flowers. The bush makes a fine hedge where height is wanted. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

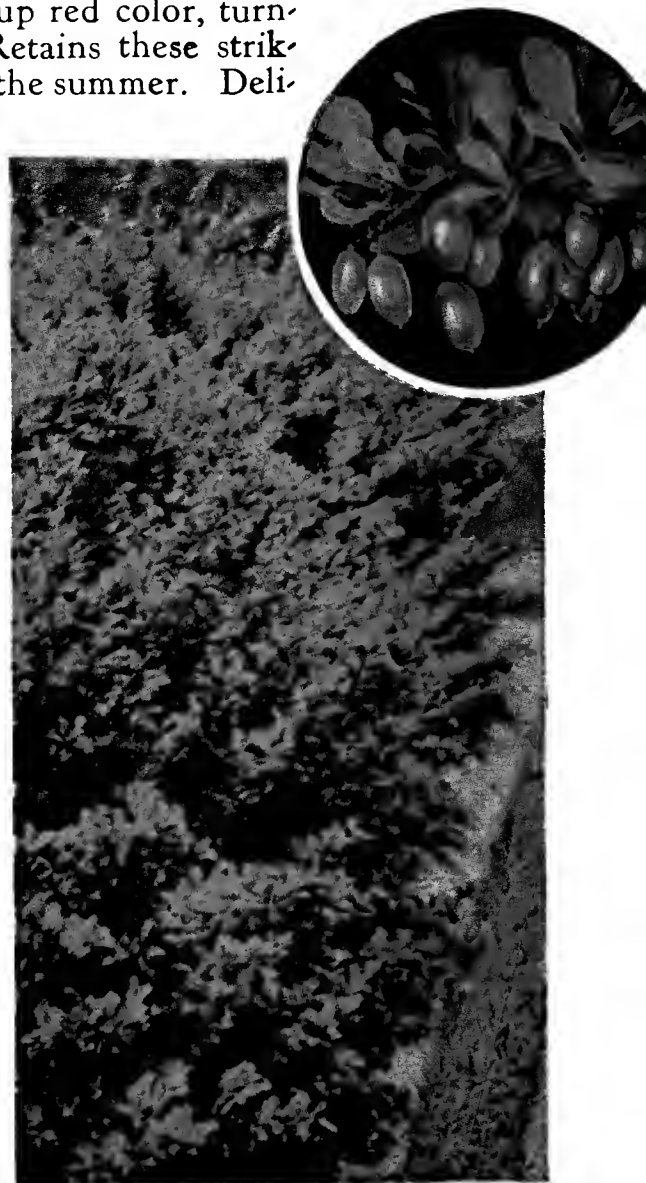
**NEW RED-LEAVED BARBERRY.** A boon for all types of landscaping, this variety starts its very first foliage a warm bronzy red, becoming more brilliant with the summer heat. Abundance of scarlet berries throughout winter. 12 to 15 ins., 20c each; 15 to 20 ins., 25c each.



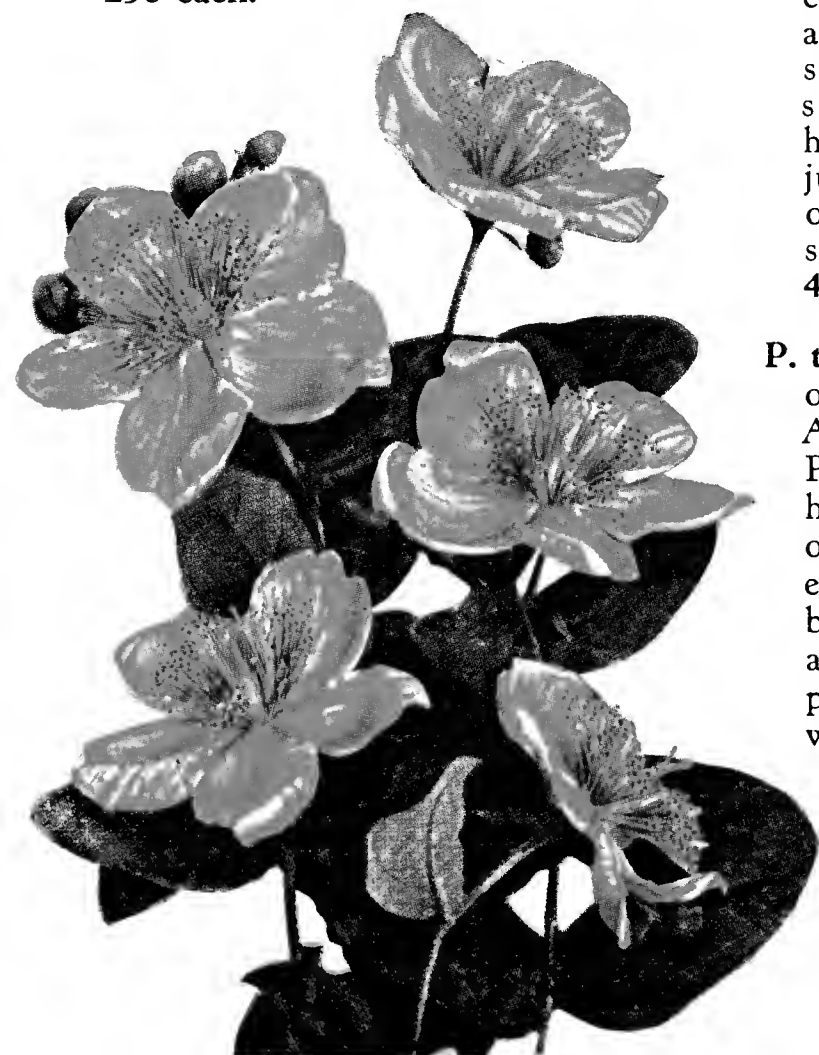
*Spirea Van Houttei.* 20 for \$1.00—100 for \$4.50.

**PRUNUS, Newport (Purple-Leaved Plum).** Often called the most beautiful of all small trees or large shrubs. Showy foliage opens up red color, turning to dark purple. Retains these striking colors throughout the summer. Delicate white flowers almost cover the shrub in the spring. Very hardy. In our judgment the best of all red foliage shrubs. 2 to 3 ft., 40c each.

**P. triloba (Rose Tree of China).** A double flowering Plum and a very hardy and vigorous grower. Very early in the spring, before the leaves appear, it is completely covered with double pink blossoms. Foliage is delicate and makes the shrub attractive, even after the flowers have disappeared. 2 to 3 ft., 40c each.

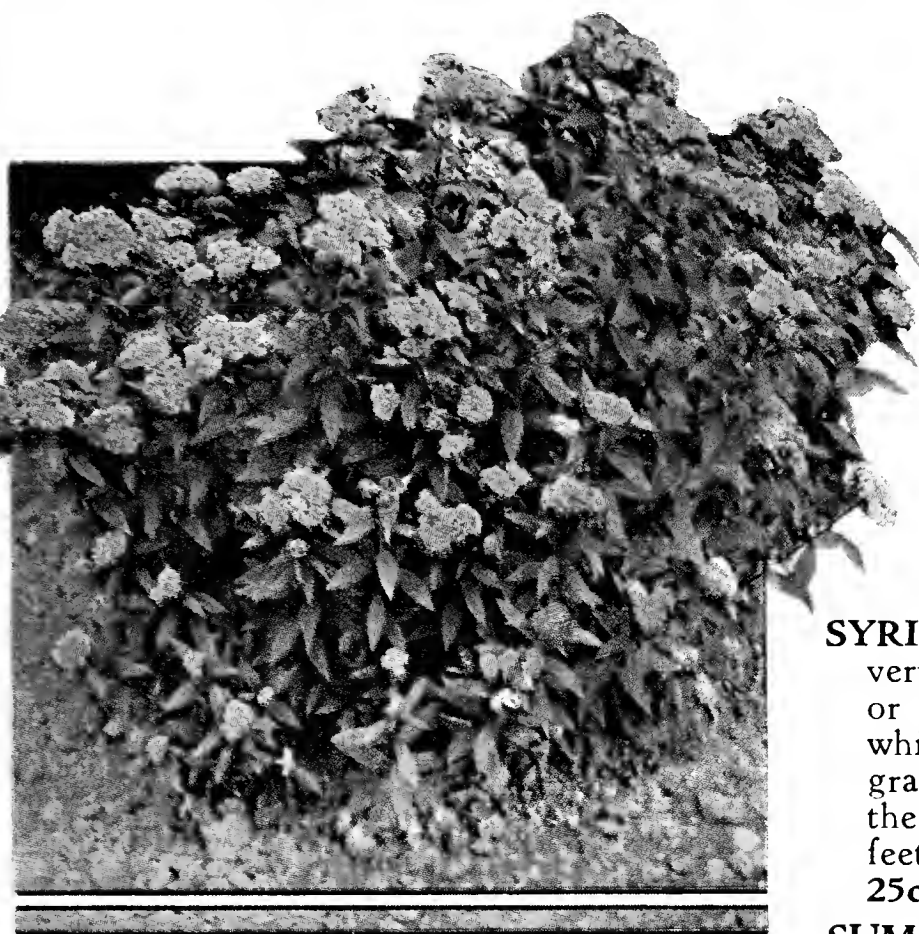


*Red-Leaved Barberry.* 5 for \$1.00.



*Hypericum Aureum.*





8 Spirea Anthony Waterer, 15 in., \$1.00.

**SHRUBS—Continued.**

**QUINCE, JAPANESE.** Very showy and one of the earliest shrubs to bloom, the flowers appearing before the leaves are fully developed, the brilliant scarlet flowers giving the bush a most attractive appearance. Very hardy and easily transplanted. Grows 5 to 6 feet tall. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**REDBUD.** This is the little native woodland beauty that gives such cheerfulness in early spring with its lovely pink, pea-shaped blossoms before the leaves unfold. Grows 15 to 20 feet high. 2 to 3 ft., 50c each.

**SNOWBALL.** Grows into a magnificent high bush, with upright branches and handsome foliage. It forms one of the most impressive sights of early summer, when its pure white, four-petaled flowers, borne in showy balls, are in bloom. Hardy. 18 to 24 ins., 30c each.

**SNOWBERRY, White.** A beautiful low-growing shrub. Slender, drooping branches covered with small white berries in thick clusters along the stems. 18 to 24 ins., 20c each.

**S., Red.** Same price as White Snowberry.

**SPIREA, Anthony Waterer.** One of the finest flowering shrubs of low, dwarf growth. In constant bloom from June to September. Flowers of bright rose are borne in broad, flat clusters, completely covering the bush. The best shrub for low borders and hedges. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**S. Billiardi.** Rose colored flowers in large spikes; blooms nearly all summer. Very pretty and showy, and splendid for cut flowers. Grows 4 feet high. 18 to 24 ins., 20c each.

**S. callosa alba.** White flowering variety, of dwarf, bushy, symmetrical form. Keeps in flower all summer. A valuable small shrub. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**S. Thunbergi.** Small shrub, fine fernlike foliage and small white flowers. Branches slender and drooping. First Spirea to bloom. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**S. Van Houttei.** It is sometimes called Bridal Wreath. The flowers are pure white and borne in dense clusters along the whole length of the branches. Excellent as a single lawn planting or with other shrubs for groups; fine hedge plant. 2 to 3 ft., 20c each; 18 to 24 ins., 15c each.

**SYRINGA, coronarius (Mock Orange).** One of the very best of the old, well-known shrubs. It seldom or never fails to bloom. The beautiful, waxy white flowers appear in June. In shape and fragrance they resemble the orange blossoms, therefore the name. Grows to a height of 10 feet. Can be kept lower by pruning. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.

**SUMAC, Fragrant.** Grows 2 to 4 feet tall; flowers yellow, in clusters along the stems, followed by red berries in June. Leaves color to brilliant scarlet. 18 to 24 ins., 35c each.

**S., Fern-Leaved (Staghorn Sumac).** It is of rapid, robust growth, producing cones of bright red fruit. Leaves beautifully formed. Thrives on the poorest of soils. In the fall the leaves turn to a beautiful crimson-red. The best of the Sumacs. 18 to 24 ins., 25c each.



Tamarix Hispida.

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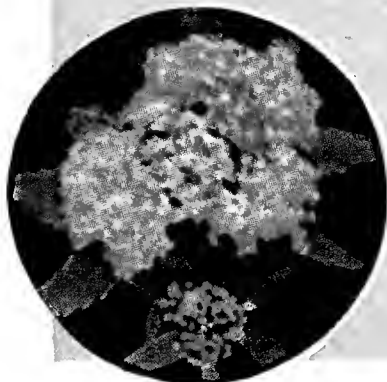


## These Four Beautiful Shrubs

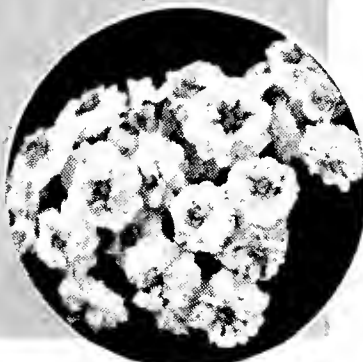
2-year,  
18-inch size

- ① Red Tartarian Honeysuckle.
- ② Golden Bell.
- ③ Spirea Anthony Waterer.
- ④ Spirea Van Houttei.

**75c**  
Postpaid



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**TAMARIX hispida.** A strong and slender, tall growing shrub with graceful bending branches. Bright silver foliage and bright coral-pink flowers in large panicles. 18 to 24 in., 25c each.

**WEIGELA, Eva Rathke.** Flowers are of brilliant crimson color, a beautiful and distinct shade. Blooms nearly all summer. Flowers bell-shaped, borne on graceful, drooping branches. 18 to 24 in., 35c each.

**W. rosea.** An elegant shrub, with beautiful rose colored flowers. Blooms very profusely in June. It is erect in habit, with dark green leaves. 18 to 24 in., 25c each.

**WITCH HAZEL.** Tall shrub, native to our woodlands. Yellow flowers in December or January. Unusual and delightful in the shrub border. 18 to 24 in., 35c each.

**PUSSY WILLOW.** A perfectly hardy shrub or dwarf tree. Before the leaves come out, it has many catkins up and down the stems. The branches can be cut any time during the winter months and when placed in water, will burst into bloom. As soon as they bloom, remove from the water, and they will retain their loveliness for months 2 to 3 ft. Each, 30c.

## Special

### Red Tartarian Honeysuckle

One of the fastest growing shrubs for hedges. 2-yr., 18 in., 8 for \$1.00.

### Anthony Waterer Spirea

Unsurpassed for foundation planting. 2-yr., 15 in., 8 for \$1.00.



Eight Red Tartarian Honeysuckle, 18 inch, \$1.00.



# Hedges

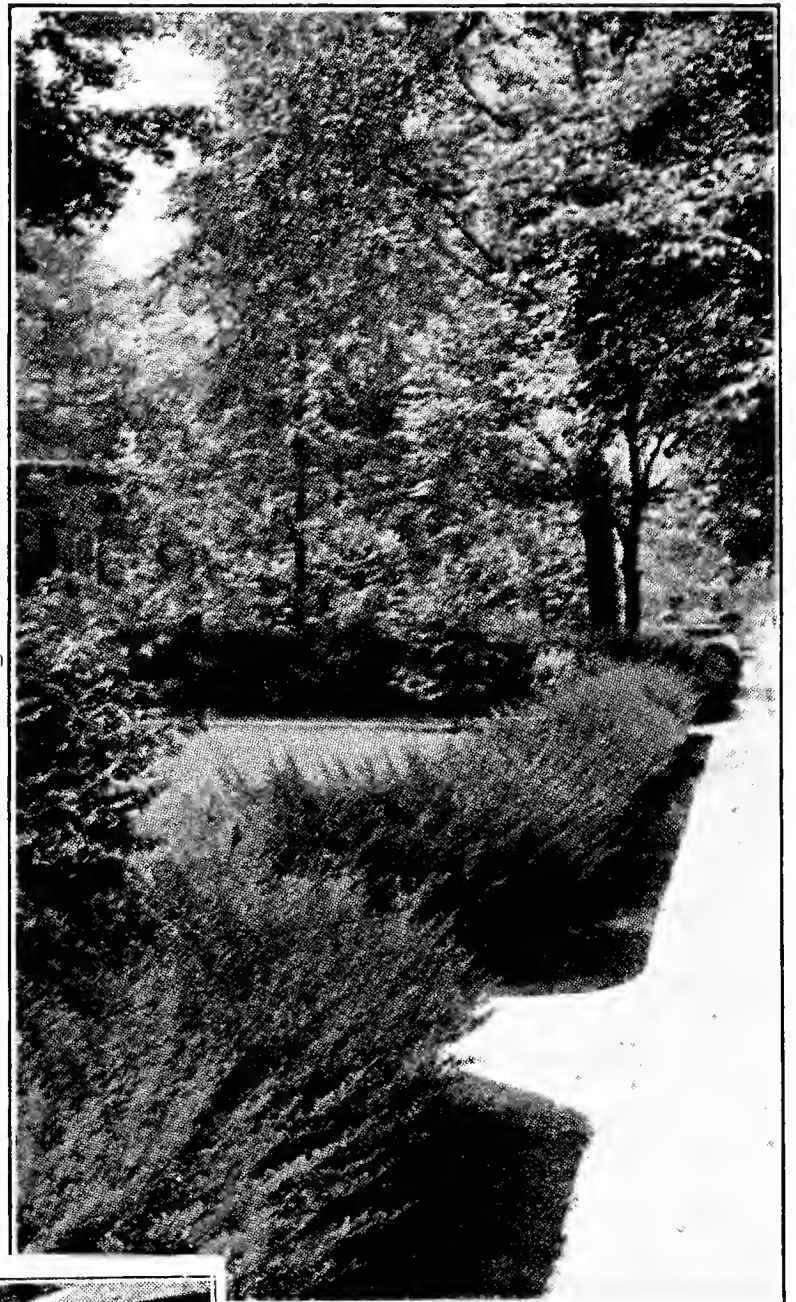
**AMUR RIVER PRIVET.** Hardy. Foliage glossy green and holds its color well till late fall. Stands shearing to any extent. Very hardy; a beautiful hedge. 12 to 18 in., \$4.50 per 100, postpaid. Large size, 2 ft., 10c each.

**BARBERRY THUNBERGI (Japanese Barberry).** Will grow anywhere; has nothing to do with Black Rust. Foliage bright green, oval leaves, turning to most brilliant shades of orange and red in fall. Slender, graceful branches protected by thorns, scarlet berries in fall and winter. Grows to about 2½ feet. Prepaid, 12 to 18 in., \$4.00 per 100; 25 for \$1.00. Large size, 18 to 24 in., 10c each.

**CARAGANA or SIBERIAN PEA TREE.** A large shrub or small tree with beautiful leaves of bright green; small yellow flowers in May. Can be pruned. Extensively used in the northern states. Extremely hardy. 12 to 18 in., \$3.50 per 100.

**RED TARTARIAN HONEYSUCKLE.** An upright shrub attaining a height of from 6 to 10 feet. Crimson flowers in early summer followed by showy berries that last through the fall. Valuable because it thrives in partial shade. 12 to 18 in., \$7.50 per 100, prepaid.

**RUSSIAN MULBERRY.** For hedges and screens. Must be pruned often. Stands hot, dry weather. Dark green foliage. Rapid grower. 18 to 24 in., \$3.00 per 100, prepaid. 12 to 18 in., \$2.00 per 100, prepaid.



Barberry Hedge. 25 for \$1.00.



Amur River Privet Hedge. 18 inch, 20 for \$1.00.

**RUSSIAN OLIVE.** One of the most adaptable of all hedge plants. It may be trimmed as closely as Privet into formal shapes, or when untrimmed, it makes a very effective shelter or windbreak. Has silvery white leaves and almost black shining bark. Fragrant yellow flowers. Is very hardy. 12 to 18 in., \$4.00 per 100. Ten 3-ft. trees, \$1.00.

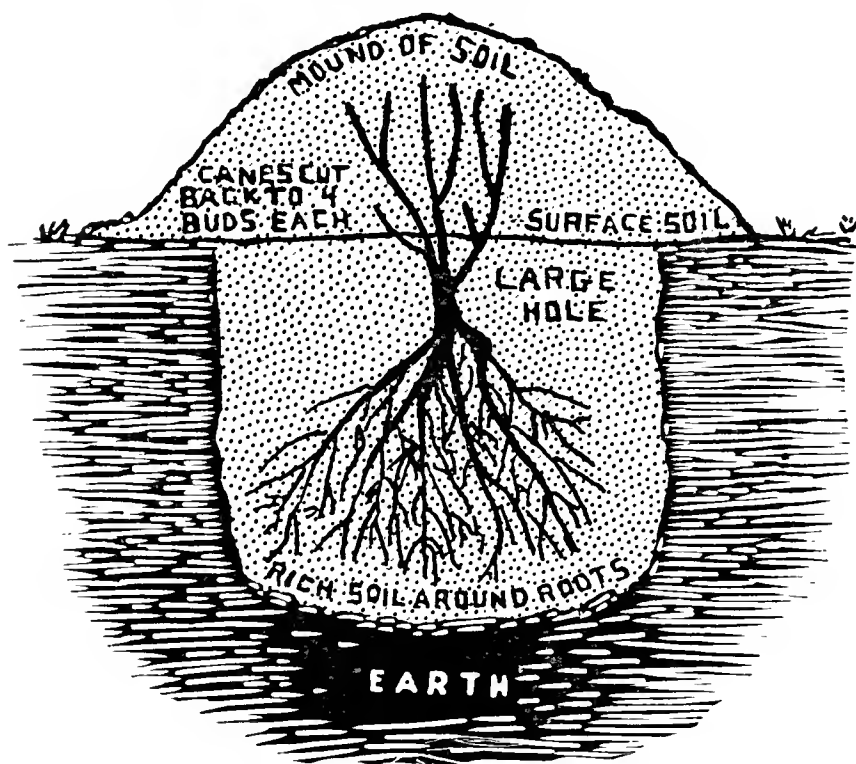
**SPIREA ANTHONY WATERER.** Very hardy. Makes a beautiful low growing hedge becoming about 2 feet high, constantly in bloom all summer. 12 to 18 in., 15c each; \$10.00 per 100, prepaid.

**SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI.** This shrub makes a beautiful, graceful hedge, even after it is through blooming. 12 to 18 in., \$4.50 per 100, prepaid; 20 for \$1.00.

For a Good Dense Hedge, Plant—

Barberry .....	18 inches apart
Privet .....	12 inches apart
Tartarian Honeysuckle ..	24 inches apart
Spirea Van Houttei .....	30 inches apart
Russian Mulberry .....	18 inches apart





## How to Plant Grapes, Shrubs and Roses

This diagram shows how your roses, grapes and shrubs of all kinds should be planted. Look at it carefully. See how the canes are cut back and mounded over with soil. See how far below the surface of the soil the crown of the plant is set. Plant your roses just as this diagram shows, and they will be sure to grow and blossom freely.

The real secret of success when planting roses and shrubs, is, **First**, to cut back the tops severely; **Second**, to water the plant

thoroughly, and **Third**, to cover the newly set plants with a mound of soil. Do not expose their roots to sun or wind to dry out.

Prune all the canes so that not more than four (4) buds remain on a cane. This is very important.

Shorten roots a little, making a smooth cut at the end of each root.

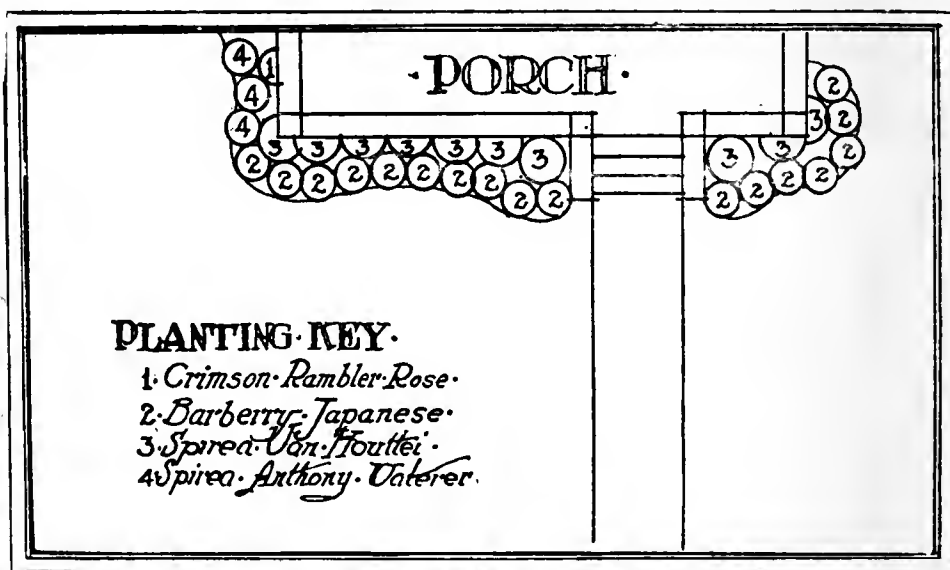
Dig your holes at least 6 inches wider than the widest spread of the roots, and deep enough to let the plant well down in the hole.

Put in the plant and half fill the hole with top soil. Do not use manure. Tramp the soil down hard, then pour in four gallons of water; twenty-four hours after this has seeped away, finish filling the hole.

Next draw up the mound of soil, cover the bush fully 6 to 10 inches high. This will bury the bush completely and protect the canes from drying out before growth begins.

Allow the mound of soil to remain until the new growth has pushed through it fully six inches, then hoe the mound down gradually.

## An Attractive Foundation Planting for the Small Home



## Planting Plan No. 1

- 1— 1 *Crimson Rambler Rose.*
- 2— 17 *Barberry, Japanese.*
- 3— 10 *Spirea Van Houttei.*
- 4— 3 *Spirea Anthony Waterer.*

Thirty-one 2-year, well rooted flowering shrubs that will increase the beauty of your home a thousand fold—and think of it, the entire collection will be sent anywhere in the U. S., parcel post prepaid, for

**\$2.50**

# Vines

Hardy climbing vines are particularly desirable as they tend to serve many useful purposes. Not only are they a source of beauty in themselves, but they make charming decorations and provide much needed shade. They also change the appearance of an unbroken wall and liven up the unsightly spots of your lawn. In spring and summer their foliage is a mat of green leaves, which turn to rich yellow, red and bronze in autumn.

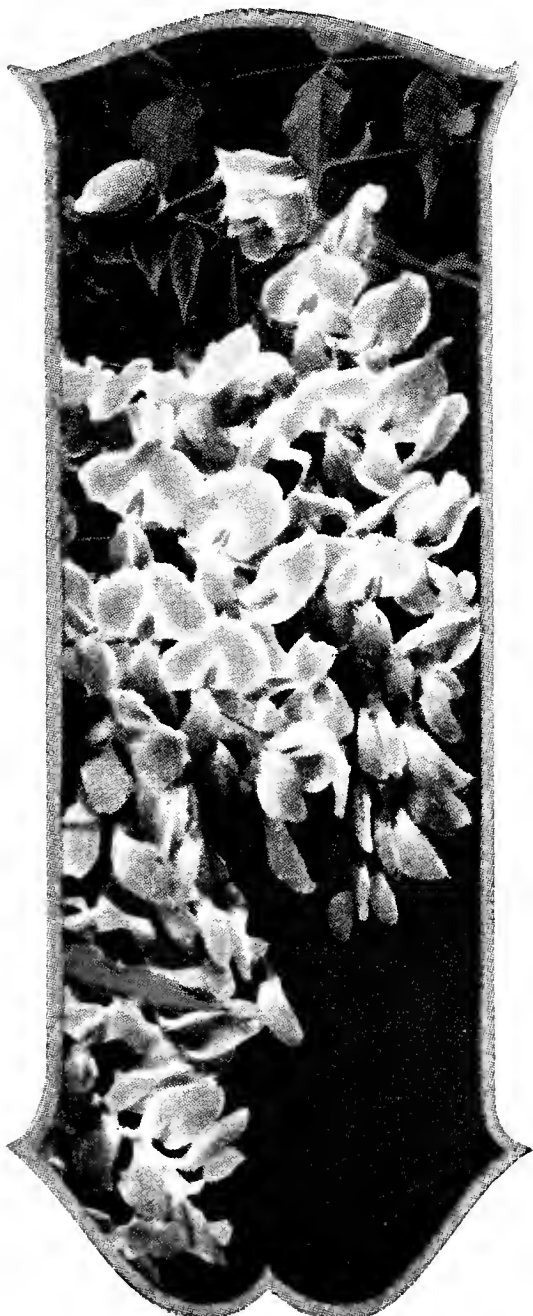
**BOSTON IVY.** One of the finest climbers for covering walls, as it clings firmly to the smoothest surface, covering it evenly with overlapping leaves. The color is fresh, deep green in summer, changing to bright shades of crimson and yellow in autumn. Needs no support to cling to walls. 25c each.

**BIGNONIA RADICANS** (Trumpet Vine). A robust climber, with great leathery, trumpet-shaped flowers of scarlet. A beautiful, showy vine, useful for fences and screens. 25c each.

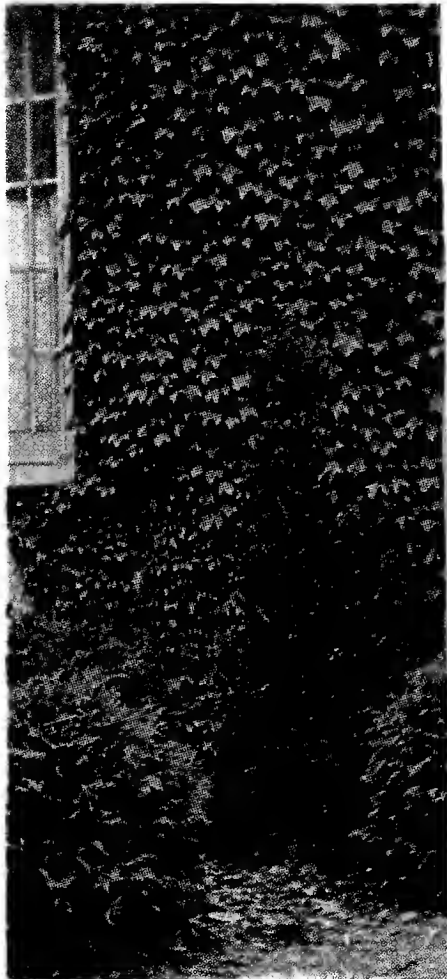
**CINNAMON VINE.** A strong, hardy climber from China. 10 to 30 feet, leaves heart-shaped; flowers small, white, cinnamon scented. Very fragrant and free from insects. 10c each; 3 for 25c.

2 Bittersweet  
2 Hardy White Clematis

Post-  
paid 75c



Purple Wisteria.



Boston Ivy.

**HONEYSUCKLE, HALL'S EVERGREEN JAPAN.** One of the best of the climbing Honeysuckles. Oval, semi-evergreen foliage; fragrant, yellow and cream colored flowers. 20c each.

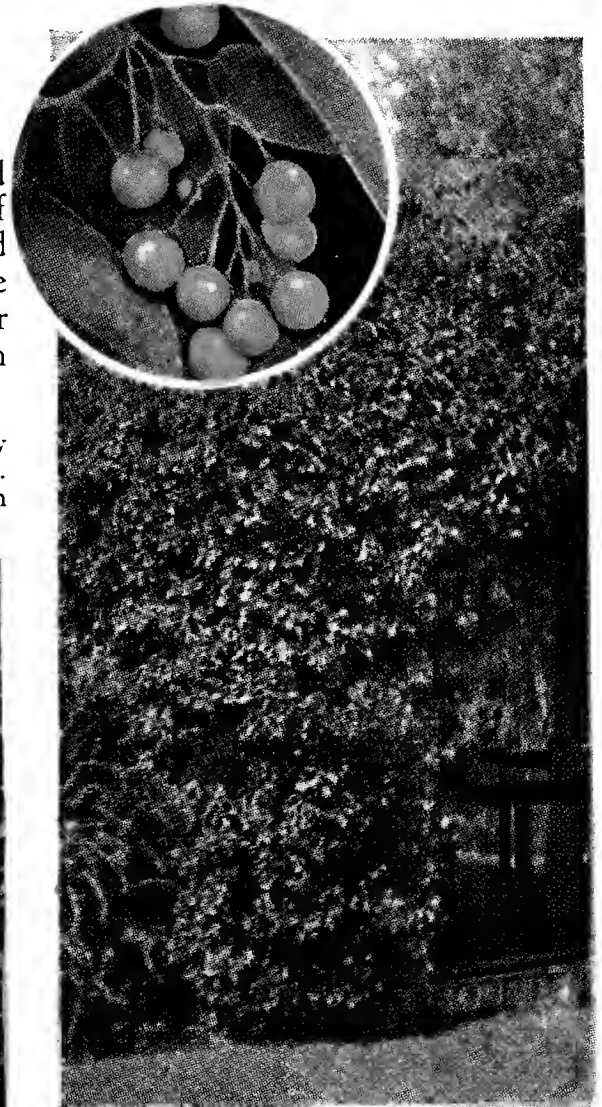
**H., SCARLET TRUMPET.** Same price as Hall's Evergreen Japan.

**SILVER LACE VINE.** Very quick growing; produces more bloom than any other vine, blooming from late summer into the fall. Small, fresh, shining foliage and large, foamy sprays of silvery white bloom. 40c each.

**VIRGINIA CREEPER** (Woodbine). A strong rapid grower; foliage large, dark green, in autumn bronze and crimson. This is an old favorite and valuable for covering back porches and arbors. Perfectly hardy everywhere and will grow in any soil and situation, but must be tied, as it will not adhere to a wall. 20c each.

**WISTERIA, PURPLE.** Large, drooping clusters of purple, pea-shaped flowers; rapid grower. Blooms in May and June. 25c each.

**CLEMATIS PANICULATA.** The small flowering, sweet scented Japan Clematis. One of the most vigorous and beautiful of all climbers. In late summer it produces dense sheets of medium sized, pure white flowers of the most pleasing fragrance. 25c each.



Bittersweet. 3 for 50c.

**BITTERSWEET** (*Celastrus scandens*). Perfectly hardy and of rapid growth. Handsome, glossy foliage. Large clusters of beautiful orange-crimson berries that are retained all winter. The berries are in great demand for inside winter decoration. We do not know of any vine that is more satisfactory. It is exceptionally fine for trellises or porches. If you wish something to give a little color to your trees, plant one at the base of the shade trees. This vine seems to do better than other vines. 25c each.



Clematis Paniculata.



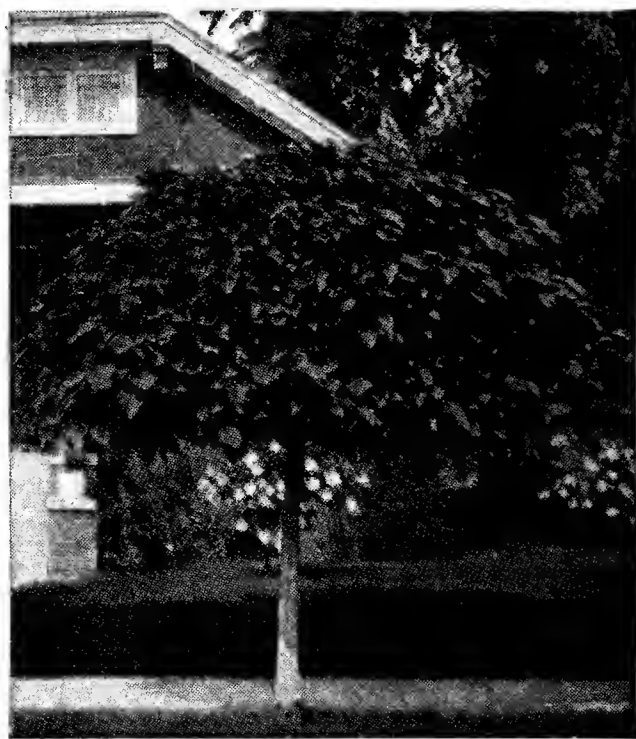
# Trees

## All Shade Trees Shipped by Express.

The lands of the Bible, once considered the finest in the East, flowing with milk and honey, now are mostly a barren wilderness, with the trees cut off. However, the Jews are now planting thousands of trees, the mountains and the hills are being terraced and vines adorn their sides. This planting has increased the average rainfall of Palestine fifty per cent. Take China, for instance, this year, where thousands are dying for lack of food. Their ancestors, generations ago, cut off all the trees and the people are suffering for it.

**HOPA RED FLOWERING CRAB.** A beautiful pyramidal growing tree with attractive foliage. Entirely covered with rose colored flowers in April. Fruit red inside and out, hanging on until late autumn. Very hardy and free from disease. 3 to 4 ft., each 75c.

**BIRCH, CUT-LEAVED WEEPING.** Not only the most popular of the weeping trees, but is indeed a picture of delicacy and grace. Its tall slender yet vigorous growth, graceful branches, silvery white bark and delicately cut foliage present a combination of attractive characteristics rarely met with in a single tree. Excellent for lawn and cemetery planting. 5 to 6 ft., \$1.25 each.



Catalpa Bungei. 2 for \$1.70.

**CATALPA BUNGEI** (Umbrella Tree). Grafted on stems 4 to 7 feet high, makes an umbrella shaped top without pruning; perfectly hardy. Leaves large, glossy, deep green, heart-shaped. Very desirable tree. 2-yr., 6 ft., 90c each; 2 for \$1.70.

**MOUNTAIN ASH, EUROPEAN.** A fine, hardy tree. The head is dense and regular, covered in June with a mass of white flowers, later with yellow berries, which turn into bright scarlet and last long into winter, very beautiful. 6 to 8 ft. \$1.50 each.

**LOMBARDY POPLAR** (*Populus nigra italica*). In shape this is the exclamation mark among trees. Its towering spire has an individuality all its own. For tall screens and backgrounds, this tree is admirable. 6 to 8 ft., 50c each.

**POPLAR, CAROLINA.** One of the most rapid growing trees, with large, handsome, glossy, deep green leaves. Succeeds everywhere. Pyramidal in form, making a spreading head and dense shade when properly trimmed. Grasshoppers will not eat the leaves. 8 ft., 40c each, not prepaid.

**NIOBE WEEPING WILLOW.** Much appreciated in landscape planting because of its golden bark. No other tree affords so brilliant a color. Rapid grower. 6 to 8 ft., \$1.25 each.

**SUGAR or HARD MAPLE.** Chieftain of its clan, straight and spreading, of grand proportions, roots deeply, grows well. Leaves have rich autumn tints of clear yellow and scarlet. 6 to 8 ft., \$1.50 each.

**MAPLE, SOFT or SILVER.** The most rapid growing shade tree that you can plant. Leaves are finely cut, bright green on upper side and whitish on lower side. They are not a silvery white, though, as those of the Silver Poplar. For quick results, Soft Maple is one of the best trees. 6 to 8 ft., 50c each; 5 to 6 ft., 35c each.

**CHINESE ELM.** Will give luxuriant shade in 5 years. Stands more drought than any other tree known. It is the first shade tree to put out leaves in the spring and the last to drop them in the fall, adding 3 to 5 weeks to its usefulness. No other tree approaches this. It is a tree of rare beauty. It has dense, dark green foliage, with delicate, graceful sprays similar to the Cut-Leaf Birch. 5 to 6 ft., 45c each; 6 to 8 ft., 65c each. Seedlings, per 100, 12 to 18 in., \$2.50; 18 to 24 in., \$3.50.

**MAPLE, NORWAY.** One of the most beautiful and desirable trees known. Of large size, perfect outline, with deep green foliage, which turns to a pale, beautiful yellow in autumn. They are a faster grower than Hard or Sugar Maple. 6 to 8 ft., \$1.50 each.



New Chinese Elm.

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10 Chinese Elm, 4-ft. \$1.00, prepaid.





Spirea Van Houttei

Purple Lilac

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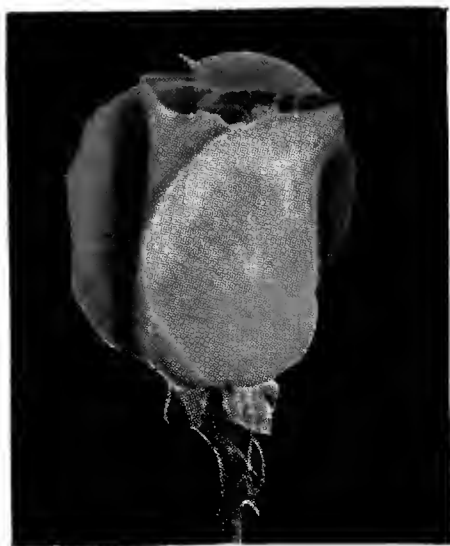
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Baby  
Crimson Rambler

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Talisman.



Frau Karl Druschki.



Gen. MacArthur.



Pink Radiance.



Lady Hillingdon.



Gruss an Teplitz.

## Hardy Roses

The Rose, the queen of all flowers, is also one of the most popular. Roses should be planted in well drained, deep, rich, loamy soil, and in a place where they will receive plenty of sunlight.

### Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses

These Roses are noted chiefly for their free and everblooming characteristics, and are commonly called "Monthly Roses." They bloom early and continue to bloom throughout the summer.

**Betty Uprichard.** One of the finest new Roses, with brilliant copper-red buds. A profuse bloomer, one of the outstanding varieties. 35c each.

**Dame Edith Helen.** One of the largest and most perfectly shaped pink Roses known. Blooms abundantly with long strong stems. Most perfumed of all pink Roses. 35c each.

**Gen. MacArthur.** A very sweet scented garden Rose. Brilliant glowing crimson-scarlet buds, opening into full blooms of good keeping qualities. Very free bloomer. 2-yr., 35c each.

**Gruss an Teplitz.** Dark rich crimson, changing to velvety fiery red. An exceptionally free bloomer, always in bloom and one of the brightest red Roses grown. One of the very best of the bedding Roses. 2-yr., 35c each.

**K. A. Victoria.** A great favorite. Flowers are large, exceedingly well formed. Color pure waxy white, very double. One of the most beautiful Roses grown. Very free bloomer. 2-yr., 35c each.

**Lady Hillingdon.** The wonderful color of this beautiful Rose is equaled by none. It has long, slender, pointed buds of brilliant golden yellow, improving in color as flower matures. 2-yr. 35c each.

**Lady Margaret Stewart.** A Rose of unique color—deep yellow splashed with orange and scarlet. Flowers are borne singly on long straight stems. A vigorous grower and blooms continuously. 35c each.

**Los Angeles.** One of the grandest all around Roses of American origin ever put on the market. Flowers large and continuous, in color a flame-pink, toned with coral and shaded with translucent gold at base of petals. 35c each.

**Mme. Caroline Testout.** Bright satiny pink, largest of all everbloomers. One of the very best Roses. 2-yr., 35c each.

**Ophelia.** This is one of the finest of the newer Roses. The beautifully formed flowers are delicately colored salmon-flesh, deepening to rose-pink in center. A Rose that is much admired by everyone. 2-yr., 35c each.

**Pink Radiance.** Vigorous upright, bushy plants, bearing a continuous supply of very large, bright rosy pink flowers. One of the most dependable pinks. 2-yr., 35c each.





Red Radiance.



Betty Uprichard.



Rev. F. Page-Roberts.

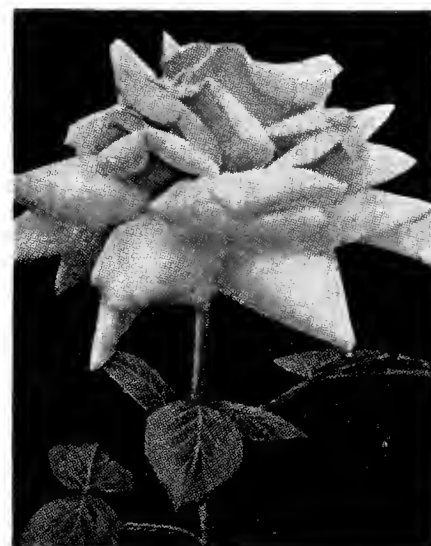
**Red Radiance.** A lovely deep red Rose, with large, globular flowers borne on heavy stems. Similar in growth to Radiance, except in color. 2-yr., 35c each.

**Rev. F. Page-Roberts.** Marvelously colored flowers of golden yellow stained with copper and reddish buff on the outside. Buds extra long. One of the most popular of the new Roses. 35c each.

**Souv. de Claudius Pernet.** Deep sunflower yellow, very hardy and a vigorous grower; brilliant foliage and almost thornless stems, the most satisfactory yellow Rose ever produced. 2-yr., 35c each.

**Sunburst.** Bright, glowing orange-yellow, paling slightly at edge of petals, extremely brilliant in effect. It is the deepest of all Roses in the everblooming class. 35c each.

**Talisman.** One of the most beautiful of the new Roses. Remarkable coloring, a combination of gold, apricot, deep pink and old rose. The buds are long, well formed and develop into full double flowers. The plant is a strong grower, very hardy and free flowering. 35c each.



Los Angeles.

## Hybrid Perpetual Roses

This class of Roses, while it blooms profusely during its season, is not a continual bloomer like the Tea Roses, but will come through more severe winters. These hardy Roses combine hardiness, vigor, growth and size of flower with great variety.

**American Beauty.** Flowers very large, of beautiful form and very double. Color a deep rich rose. Fragrance delightful. May be classed as a light red or deep pink. 2-yr. 35c each.

**Frau Karl Druschki (Snow Queen).** The finest snow white, hardy perpetual Rose. Pure white, large, long pointed buds. Open flowers very large, perfectly double petals, well shaped. Continuous free bloomer. 2-yr., 35c each.

**George Ahrends.** Beautiful clear pink, large and fragrant; plant very vigorous and blooms abundantly. 2-yr., 35c. each.

**Gen. Jacqueminot (Gen. Jack).** A rich, velvety crimson, changing to a scarlet-crimson. The best known of all hybrid perpetuals, and is without rival in fragrance and richness of color. Does well anywhere and blooms freely. 2-yr., 35c each.

**Mrs. J. H. Laing.** A favorite sort; satiny flowers of soft, clear pink. Free and continuous. Is generally accepted as one of the best of the light pinks. 2-yr., 35c each.

**Paul Neyron.** The largest Rose in cultivation, sometimes called the Peony Rose. Color, bright, fresh cerise-pink. Flowers are very double and full, delightfully fragrant. 2-yr., 35c each.

**Prince Camille de Rohan.** Deep, velvety crimson-maroon, moderately full; one of the darkest in cultivation. Good bloomer; very hardy. At a distance the flowers appear black. Blooms very freely. 2-yr., 35c each.



Souv. De Claudius Pernet.



Mme. Caroline Testout.



# Climbing Roses

Can be Trained for Hedges, Trellises and Porch Coverings.

**CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY.** The fragrant, rich, deep rosy red flowers are produced in great abundance. Vigorous growth. 2-yr., 35c each.

**CRIMSON RAMBLER.** Vigorous, making an immense growth. Flowers glowing crimson, produced in great clusters. 2-yr., 25c each.

**DOROTHY PERKINS.** One of the most notable climbing Roses. Clear shell-pink, slightly fragrant. 2-yr., 25c each.

**DR. W. VAN FLEET.** Probably the best climbing Rose in cultivation. Long, pointed, deep pink buds that open to a light shade of pink. 2-yr., 30c each.

**EXCELSA.** An intense crimson, with edges of petals a little lighter, producing immense clusters. 2-yr., 25c each.



Paul's Scarlet Climber.

**GARDENIA** (Yellow Rambler). Bright yellow opening cream, blooms early, and is very fragrant. 2-yr., 30c each.

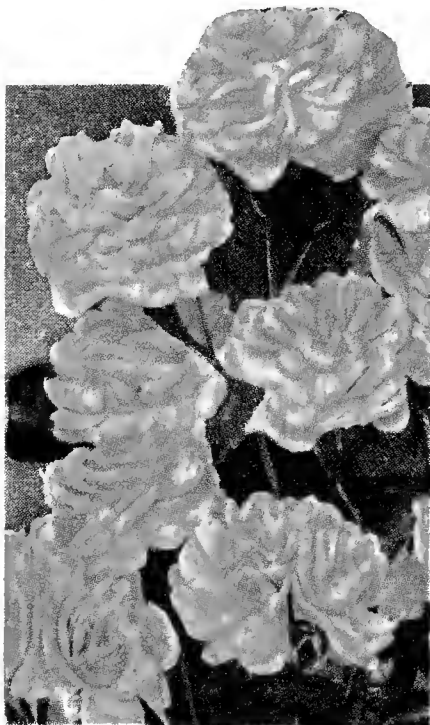
**PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER.** The brightest and purest

red of all the climbing Roses. Flowers are large and distinct and retain their color all fall. Have prominent yellow stamens. 2-yr., 35c ea.

**WHITE DOROTHY PERKINS.** Closely resembles the Dorothy Perkins, except for its immense clusters of pure white flowers. Most valuable white climber of its class. 2-yr., 25c each.



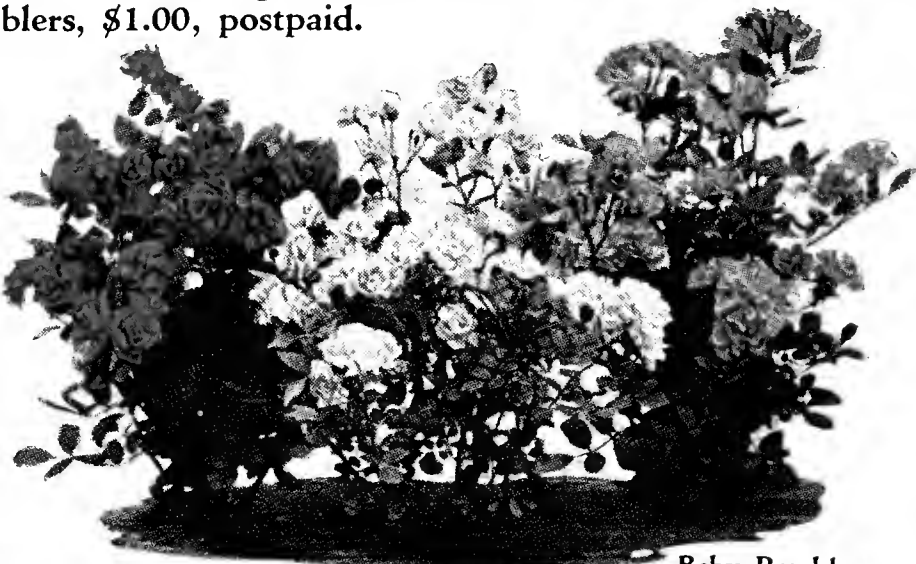
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Baby Ramblers.



F. J. Grootendorst.

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**F. J. GROOTENDORST.** Beautiful red flowers in clusters. The plant is a strong grower and bushy, with leathery, wrinkled, disease-resistant foliage, and blooms continuously till frost. A new type of Rose that has been described as a Rugosa plant, with the blooms of a red carnation. The canes are frequently 4 to 5 feet in height, and make a wonderful hedge. 2-yr., 35c each.

**HANSA.** Large, double, reddish violet flowers. Strong growth. 2-yr., 25c each.

**SIR THOMAS LIPTON.** The best double, leading white Rugosa. Large, pure white, blooms throughout the summer. 2-yr., 25c each.

# Peonies

**Peonies Once Planted Will Last for 50 Years or More—Fine Flowers, Almost Rivaling the Rose in Brilliancy and Bloom.**

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Double Red, Pink or White.**

The Peony is as hardy as a Burr Oak and absolutely free from insect enemies and disease. This is saying a good deal. In addition to this, the flowers are of immense proportions, sometimes reaching nine inches in diameter, perfectly double and have a great range of color, from the purest white to the deepest crimson. Our Peonies are strong, 3- to 5-eye divisions taken from 3-year clumps. This age and size have proven most satisfactory for the general trade.

**EDULIS SUPERBA.** One of our earliest varieties of color, always open by Decoration Day. Color is a bright, clear mauve-pink, with silvery reflex. Flowers are of large size and very fragrant. 20c each; 6 for \$1.00.

**FESTIVA MAXIMA.** About the largest and undoubtedly the most popular Peony of all. High-built flowers, borne on long, stiff stems; the purest white, the inner petals slightly tipped with red. Double flowers, very broad petals. Always in bloom by Decoration Day. 20c each; 6 for \$1.00.

**FELIX CROUSSE.** Large, compact, globular bomb. Large guard petals. Brilliant ruby-red, without any shades of violet or purple. Fragrant. Strong grower. The most dependable cut flower. Midseason. 30c each; 4 for \$1.00.

2 Felix Crousse  
2 Edulis Superba  
2 Festiva Maxima **\$1.00** Post-Paid

**FRANCOIS ORTEGAT.** An old favorite. Rich, purplish crimson, with very pretty golden center. Good bloomer. Midseason. 20c each; 6 for \$1.00.

**KARL ROSENFELD.** The best of all red Peonies. Pure rich deep crimson. A splendid full, half-rose type. Fine for cut flowers. 35c each.



Edulis Superba Peony.

**MONS. JULES ELIE.** Immense globular flowers, very full and a beautiful glossy lilac-pink, entire flower overlaid with a silvery sheen that makes it really beautiful. 50c each.

**OFFICINALIS RUBRA.** Large, beautiful blooms of crimson. Earliest of all good Peonies. Leaves are of a cut-leaf nature. 50c each.

# Iris

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**CAPRICE.** Rosy red standards with falls of a different shade.

**AFTERGLOW.** Tall, soft pink or buff-gray shading to rich yellow through center; very large flowers.

**ELDORADO.** Yellowish bronze, shaded with heliotrope; a pleasing combination of colors.

**JUNIATA.** Clear blue.

**LOHENGRIN.** Pink-silver-mauve, shading to nearly white.

**MME. PACQUITTE.** Deep rose-red, very fragrant and a strong grower.

**MARY GARDEN.** Pale yellow, flushed with lavender.

**PURPLE KING.** Deep purple.

**ROSE UNIQUE.** Delicate blush rose.

**QUAKER LADY.** Smoky lavender with yellow shadings, odd and attractive.

**SHERWIN-WRIGHT.** Rich golden yellow.



**Lucky Blue—**Most brilliant of all blue Iris, good size flower of perfect form and long flowering season, finest for hedge, an excellent drought resistant sort. 30 for \$1.00; \$2.50 per 100.





1910 Rose.

Break o' Day.

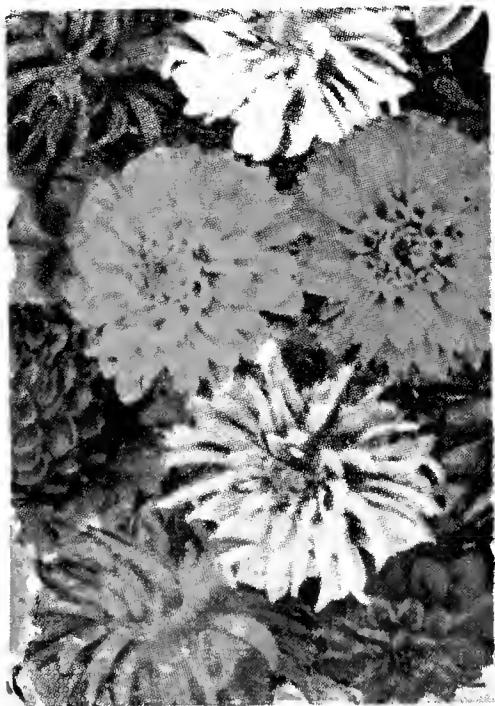
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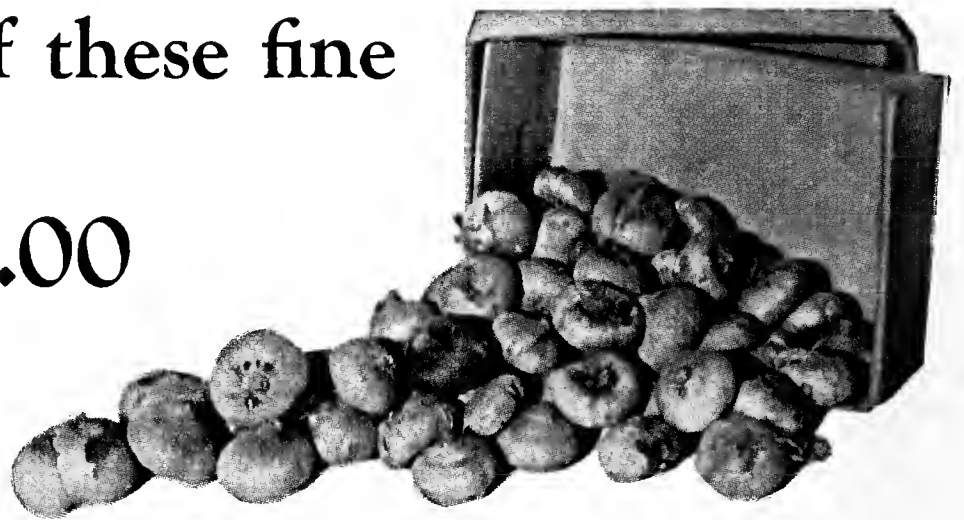
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( ) 100 Early Harvest or Eldorado Blackberries.....	2.00
( ) 20 Two year apple trees, 3 to 4 ft. 5 Jonathan, 5 Grimes Golden, 5 Dark Red Delicious, 3 Snow and 2 Yellow Delicious.....	3.50
( ) 8 Early Richmond or Montmorency Cherry Trees, 2 yr. branched, 4 ft....	2.00
( ) 8 Elberta Peaches 3 to 4 ft.....	2.00
( ) 10 Plums, 3 Waneta, 2 Sapa, 2 Terry, 3 Apricot Plums, 2 yr. 4 ft.....	3.00
( ) 3 Bartlett Pears, 4 ft.....	1.00
( ) 4 Climbing roses, 2 year, 1 Pauls Scarlet, 1 American Beauty, 1 Gar- denia, 1 Dr. Van Fleet.....	1.25
( ) 6 Everblooming roses; 1 each Talisman, Teplitz, Hillingdon, Druschi, Pink Radiance and McArthur, two year field grown.....	1.85
( ) 5 Hydrangeas, P. G. or Hills of Snow, 18 inch, nice plants.....	1.00
( ) 20 Spirea Van Houttei, 18 inches.....	1.00
( ) 25 Japanese Barberry, 18 inches, two year.....	1.00
( ) 6 Red Leaf Barberry, nice 2 year, 12 inch plants.....	1.00
( ) 8 Red Tartarian Honeysuckle, 18 inches.....	1.00
( ) 8 Red Dwarf Spirea, Anthony Waterer, 15 inches.....	1.00
( ) 100 Amoor River Privet, 18 inch, best of all hedges.....	4.50
( ) 100 Spirea Van Houttei, 18 inch, hardiest of all shrubs.....	4.50
( ) 100 Japanese Barberry Hedging, 15 inches.....	4.00
( ) 31 Two year shrubs, Landscape Planting on Catalog Page 22.....	2.50
( ) 4 Two year shrubs; 1 each Red Tartarian Honeysuckle, Golden Bell, Anthony Waterer and Van Houttei; on catalog page 20.....	.75
( ) 20 Yuccas or Spanish Daggers, remains green the whole year.....	1.00
( ) 2 Hardy White Clematis Vines and two Bittersweet vines.....	.75
( ) 6 Peonies; 2 each F. Crousse, F. Maxima and Superba.....	1.00
( ) 10 Regal Lillies, blooming size bulbs.....	1.00
( ) 60 Gladiolus, Rainbow colors, large bulbs, assorted 6 best sorts.....	1.00
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( ) 20 Hollyhocks, assorted colors.....	1.00
( ) 8 Hardy Phlox; 3 red, 3 pink, 2 white.....	1.00
( ) 10 Chinese Elms, 4 ft.....	1.00
( ) 2 Catalpa Bungei, 6 ft. stems, by express, not prepaid.....	1.70
( ) 5 American Elms, 8 to 10 ft. trees, not prepaid.....	2.00
( ) 10 Montmorency or Early Richmond, 6 ft., 3 yrs., not prepaid.....	3.50
( ) 8 Cherry currants, 4 years old, bearing size, not prepaid.....	1.00

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We have been successful growers of Asparagus for many years, and have always tried to give our customers the best varieties on the market.

**MARY WASHINGTON (Rust-Proof).** This new variety, offered to the public but a short time, has been approved by the best of horticulturists as the most rust-resistant Asparagus grown. This variety grows rapidly, and produces tall, slender stalks unexcelled for table use. 1-yr., \$1.00 per 100, prepaid; \$5.00 per 1000, not prepaid. 2-yr., \$1.25 per 100, prepaid; \$7.00 per 1000, not prepaid.



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We can send by Parcel Post all Strawberry plants in quantities of 1000 and less. Grape vines, raspberry and blackberry plants in lots of 100 and less. Currants and gooseberries, both one and two-year-old, in lots of 25 or less. One-year-old fruits and ornamental trees and shrubs, roses, also

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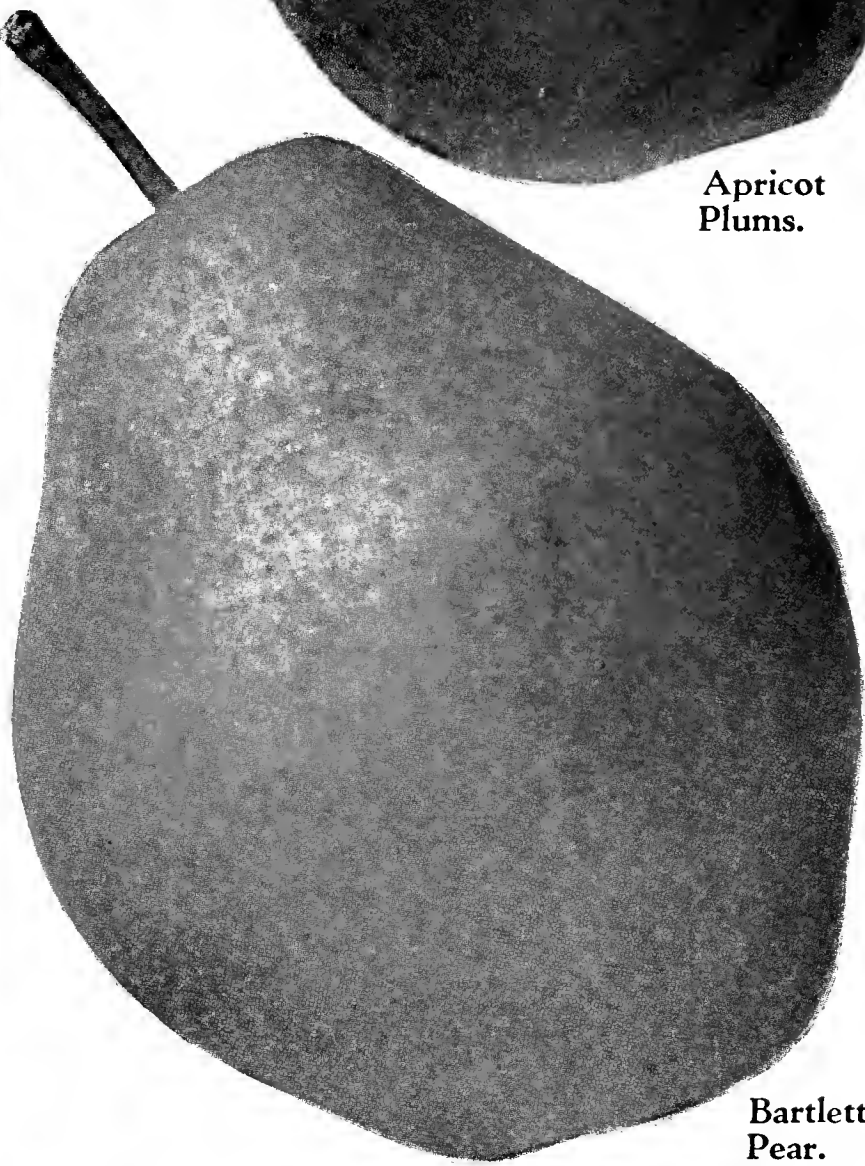
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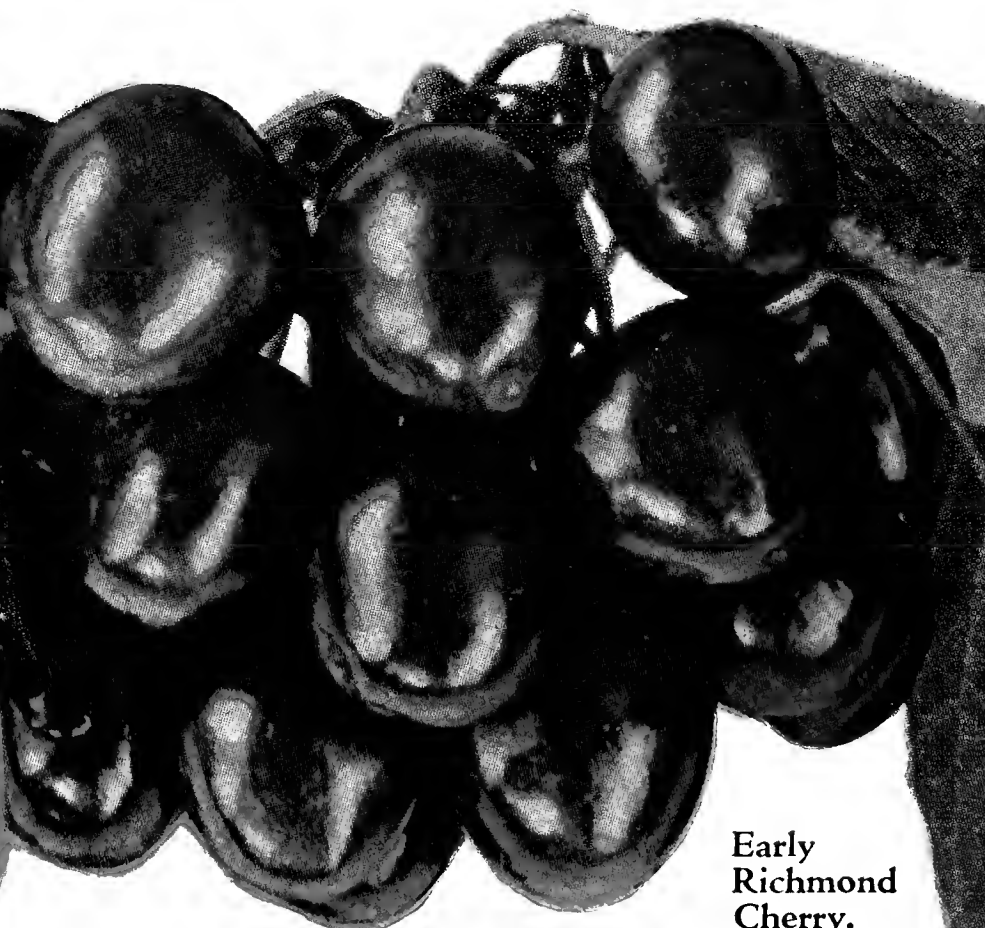
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